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The New York Times.

THE WEATHER
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BOLSHEVIKI BEGIN TO FIGHT FOE; PSKOV CHANGES HANDS OFTEN; 10,000 MARCHING TO RETAKE REVAL

CAPITAL CALLED TO ARMS

Population Turned Out of Bed in Middle of Night to Dig Trenches.

WOMEN, TOO, MUST FIGHT

Demand Made in All Russia to Mobilize Food for the Starving North.

ENEMY FIERCELY ASSAILED

Another Report That Foreign Minister Trotzky Will Resign from the Government.

Germany Refuses Armistice; Cabinet May Flee to Moscow

PETROGRAD, Feb. 26, (British Admiralty, per Wireless Press.)—"Germany has formally refused to grant an armistice, and German detachments continue to advance," says an official statement today, "Resistance thus becomes the principal task of the revolution.

"Russia's greatest strength lies in her wide territories, and the Government can, and, if need be, will, retreat. If the threat against Petrograd increases, the Government will remove to Moscow or another city."

Hear Germans Reach Luga.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—Luga, half way between Pskov and Petrograd, has been occupied by the Germans, according to an unconfirmed rumor, a Reuter dispatch from Petrograd says.

A Petrograd dispatch says a German detachment has appeared at Savage, half way between Luga and Pskov.

Luga is about ninety-two miles from Petrograd.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—Alarmed and roused at last by the German invasion, the Bolsheviki are organizing hurried resistance. Pskov, the important railroad centre, about 160 miles southwest of Petrograd, whose capture was announced officially by Berlin yesterday, has changed hands several times, according to a Petrograd dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, dated yesterday, which says that the first German detachments to enter Pskov were very small, but that they have since been reinforced. It continues:

"There is a general belief that the Germans are moving forward hastily because supplies of ammunition worth 400,000,000 rubles are concentrated in the neighborhood of Pskov. The Russians, however, are taking measures to guard the railway, and are sending more Soviet troops to Pskov."

Later advices say that the Soviet armies are now everywhere resisting the invaders. At Narva the garrison and workmen have formed an army of 10,000 and gone to Reval. There are similar reports from Walk.

Great activity is manifested at the Bolshevist headquarters in Petrograd. Men are being enrolled and arms are being gathered and shipped.

A dispatch from Moscow says that 70,000 revolutionary troops have been sent from Moscow toward Bologdie.

It is reported that there has been a disagreement in the Council of Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates regarding the evacuation of Petrograd and that the retirement of Leon Trotzky, the Bolshevist Foreign Minister, is imminent.

City Roused by Night Alarm.

Blaring sirens awoke the sleeping Sunday night signifying to the inhabitants that the Germans had entered Pskov. The blast of the whistles also served as a summons to begin digging trenches for the defense of the capital.

The district Soldiers' and Workmen's Councils of Petrograd were informed over the telephone at midnight that small German detachments had taken possession of Pskov and were moving toward Petrograd. A general mobilization of the workingmen and workingwomen who are supporting the councils was ordered, every one being directed to report to the Smolny Institute, the Bolshevist headquarters. Motor cars were requisitioned and the tramcars were kept running all night, filled with soldiers and members of the Red Guard who were dispatched to the various railway stations.

There are varying reports of what happened at Pskov when the Germans first occupied the city. One account has it that a small German detachment entered the place and subsequently retired; another reports that a German armored train came from Ostrov, which had been previously occupied, while a third speaks of street fighting. Regarding Ostrov, it

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VENUS PENCILS—For exacting difficult work VENUS PERFECT Pencils are a necessity.—Advt.

Calls Russians to Fight "the Imperialistic Assassins" Who Are Invading Country to Restore Monarchy

PETROGRAD, Feb. 26.—An official proclamation issued today, calling upon the people to defend the capital, says:

In spite of the fact that the Government has accepted the peace conditions imposed by the German and Austrian Governments, the imperialist assassins are nevertheless continuing their monstrous advance into the interior of Russia. The cursed minions of William and the German Kaledine, together with the White Guard, are advancing against and shooting the Soviets, reconstituting the power of the landlords, bankers, and capitalists, and preparing for the restoration of the monarchy.

The revolution is in peril. A mortal blow will be struck against Red Petrograd. If you workers, soldiers, and peasants wish to retain power and the power of the Soviets, you must fight these hordes, who are now seeking to devour you to your last gasp.

The decisive hour has struck. Workers and all oppressed men and women, you must swell the ranks of the Red battalions. To arms, all of you, that the struggle may only cease with your last breath!

BOLSHEVIST PLANS UPSET BY GERMANS

New Invasion Was a Complete Surprise to Trotzky, Who Thought It Couldn't Happen.

GERMAN MUTINY REPORTED

Petrograd Hears 42 Officers of One Regiment Were Shot When Advance Began.

By ARTHUR RANSOME.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PETROGRAD, Feb. 24, (Delayed.)—The inner history of the last few days is a history of the struggle between two tendencies in the Government and their supporters. The surprise of the German attack upset Russian calculations. Lenine's view had always been that peace should have been signed at Brest-Litovsk. He believed their best plan was to preserve as far as possible the revolution in Russia itself, to keep it alive until continuation of the war in western Europe should bring other nations to join Russia in revolt.

Trotzky, on the other hand, worked in the belief that the western revolution was much nearer. Hence his consistent policy at Brest-Litovsk based on the belief that Germany would be unable to take the risk of further military operations.

Seven days' notice before closing the armistice would have allowed a change from Trotzky's policy to Lenine's The seven days were not given, and the Government was suddenly faced with a German advance at the moment when it had practically no forces with which to meet it. With the view of saving what was left of the revolution, Trotzky, after hesitation, went over to Lenine's side in the discussion, and a telegram was sent. The urgency was such that there was no time to call a meeting of the Central Executive.

Storm of Indignation.

As soon as the news of the telegram of capitulation was published there was a treble storm of indignation. The opposition parties, of course, seized upon it for political ends, and illogically attacked the Government for trying to conclude peace and at the same time for having failed to conclude peace. The war party in the Soviets attacked the Government for weakening, holding that once they had refused to sign the German terms they were weakening the moral strength of the revolution by afterward agreeing. Radek, the editor of the official Bolshevist paper, who attended the peace conference, and all with him, were gladly preparing to fight till death, confident that in so doing they were best serving the international revolution, when, without their knowledge, the ground was cut from under their feet.

The next stage was one of factional meetings in which the peace arguments gradually gained ascendancy. It is noticeable that the soldiers, almost without exception anti-war workers, favor fighting.

Meanwhile no answer has arrived from the Germans, and news comes from place after place along the front pointing to an easy German advance.

That there was some actual base for the belief of Trotzky and others that the Germans would not dare advance is shown by the news that one German regiment shot forty-two officers when ordered to advance. It is reported from Arensburg that an eyewitness saw there seventy Germans with bound hands under strong convoy who had refused to advance across the ice to Verder. It is further reported from the front that the enemy is advancing in groups of 100 or 200 men of various regiments, suggesting that the Germans are compelled to use volunteers, being unable to depend on regular units. However, it is reported from Dvinsk and other places that the Russians offered only the slightest resistance and retired without destroying materials and supplies.

As time went on and there was still no answer from the Germans, the war party succeeded in persuading Lenine that if the Germans continued to advance a fight to a finish was the only policy which would not harm the cause of the revolution. I met Radek yesternight, in the Smolny Institute. He was in a state of real joy after being brokenhearted at the capitulatory telegram. He said: "The situation has much improved." I asked how. He said: "We

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CORK SINN FEINERS STONE OUR SEAMEN

Man-o'-War's Men Chase the Mob Till the Local Police Interfere.

SEVERAL AMERICANS HURT

Gang of Youths, Reinforced by Older Men, Cheered for Germans and Turks.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PASSAGE, County Cork, Ireland, Feb. 26.—Exciting scenes occurred here when American sailors were attacked by youthful Sinn Feiners, whom they twice charged before reaching their ship. The occurrence has caused a great deal of feeling against the "republican" element in this locality.

About fifteen men of the United States fleet were returning to their ship when a gang of youths carrying Sinn Fein flags began to hoot and jeer them, giving cheers for the Germans, Turks and Bulgars.

The sailors took no notice of them until showers of stones were hurled, a few of which found their marks. Then they turned and charged their assailants, who outnumbered them by at least four to one, but immediately took to their heels.

The Americans chased them up some back lanes, but the youths were now reinforced by a crowd of older men, who threw stones at the sailors and drove them back to the main streets.

At this point the Americans were joined by some of their comrades and, charging, they drove the crowd before them and administered a thrashing to not a few of the youths.

The police then arrived on the scene and helped save the civilians from further injury.

They were conveying the sailors back to their ship when another attack was made, and one of the sailors was knocked unconscious by a large stone.

The infuriated Americans broke away from the police and again scattered the mob.

The police succeeded in getting the men to their ship, and a crowd gathered outside and threw stones at the vessel; but the instant the report of a star shell was heard the hooligans took to their heels, although stones continued to fall on the deck of the vessel.

Besides the sailor who was knocked unconscious, there were several others who received minor injuries.

CHASER, OUT AT SEA 39 DAYS, MAKES PORT

French Crew on American Craft Rigs Up Bed Coverings for Sail and Proceeds by Compass.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—An American submarine chaser, which became separated from her convoy in a gale at sea in January, and which had been given up for lost, has turned up safely at an unnamed port, according to information received officially by the Navy Department today. The chaser was thirty-nine days at sea on short rations and had to navigate by compass.

"I was delighted," said Secretary Daniels, in announcing these facts today, "to receive a message today telling of the arrival in port of an American-built submarine chaser which became separated from her escort in the terrific gale of Jan. 15, had not been reported since that time, and which we feared was lost. This was one of the 110-foot boats which we were turning over to the French Government and was manned by a French crew, which saved the craft by a remarkable feat of navigation.

"In the storm, which was one of the worst on record, the engines were disabled and the boat left adrift far out at sea. The crew managed to rig up a sail made from bed coverings, and were able to make two or three knots an hour before the wind. There were no navigating instruments, except a compass, aboard, and the crew had to estimate their positions. They sailed for thirty-nine days, going on short rations, and finally reached port."

CHU CHIN CHOW—CENTURY THEATRE Mat. Today, 25c to $1. Biggest Success in N.Y.—Advt.

U-Boat Sinks Spanish Ship; Fifth Attack in Recent Weeks

MADRID, Feb. 26.—A dispatch from Bilbao says the Spanish steamer Neguri has been sunk by a submarine. Her crew was landed on Ferro Island, one of the Canary group.

The Neguri is the fifth Spanish vessel torpedoed by submarines in as many weeks. The Spanish Government has made representations to Germany concerning the sinking of several steamers. The Neguri was a vessel of 1,850 tons.

SOCIALISTS ANGER LOYAL ALDERMEN

Kenneally of Murphy's District Threatens to Make Lee Kiss the Flag.

7 PILLORIED AS DISLOYAL

Use of Rope Suggested in Uproar That Follows Objection to Sale of Thrift Stamps.

The seven Socialist members of the Board of Aldermen clashed with all the other members of the board, Democrats and Republicans, yesterday on a question of patriotism. The Socialists were accused of being "cowardly and un-American," while Alderman William P. Kenneally, who represents Charles F. Murphy's district, advocated "the use of the rope when needed." He said he would not hesitate to murder traitors to the flag, and challenged Algernon Lee, leader of the Socialist group, to go into a side room with him, where, he said, he would make Lee kiss the American flag or "throw him out of the window."

The trouble arose over a resolution presented by Alderman O'Rourke of Staten Island to form the board into a society for the sale of war savings stamps. The National War Savings Committee is carrying on a drive throughout the city this week to establish such societies, and C. P. Wiley, a member of the committee, had addressed the Aldermen, asking their assistance. Alderman Lee jumped to his feet in opposition. The War Savings Stamp, he declared, was intended to make the poor man pay for the war, letting the rich go free.

"The campaign," he declared, "is a virtual indirect taxation on the poorest portion of the people. I would be glad to join any movement to relieve the hardships of the poor, including the families of the men who have gone to the front. But I believe that the cost of this war should be borne by those among the rich who are profiting from the war."

Alderman Arnon L. Squiers of Brooklyn, Republican leader of the board, interrupted Lee and charged him with disloyalty.

"I charge," he declared, "that these Socialists who oppose the war savings stamps are directly, openly, and defiantly disloyal. We know where these Socialists stand. They are of the type that would betray this country as they have betrayed Russia. The sins of socialism in Russia are the blackest in all history. They will remain the disgrace of the ages. Alderman Lee needn't tell us that he and his fellow-Socialists will not support the war savings stamp plan. We know that it is not good socialism to help this country win the war against autocracy. There is not a single man of the seven who occupy that back row who has not got a comfortable bank roll and all made since he came to this country. It is a disgrace to this board to have a man stand up and say that he does not object to the resolution, but that he and his party will take no part in it. Those who act in that fashion are disloyal."

Socialists Sat Mute.

Half a dozen other Aldermen all tried to speak at once, while the Socialists sat mute. Alderman Kenneally got the floor and, shaking his fist at Alderman Lee, shouted:

"What is needed in this city is a patriotic committee that will not hesitate to use the rope on every disloyal person. I don't believe that any red-blooded person should sit in a body with traitors. I for one would not hesitate for a single moment to murder a man whom I believed disloyal to the flag we are fighting for. And, I want to add, that I would go to the chair with a smile on my lips, knowing that I approached my Maker with a clear conscience. These men who have ruined Russia shall not

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WASHINGTON AND LONDON REJECT HERTLING'S PEACE SUGGESTIONS; FULL TEXT OF CHANCELLOR'S SPEECH

WASHINGTON DISTRUSTFUL

High Official Says Hertling Has Not Changed Situation

DOUBT ATTITUDE TO RUSSIA

Suggestion That Gains There May Yet Alter German Stand on Alsace-Lorraine.

LIBERALISM LOSING GROUND

Wilson's Stipulation as to People's Peace Guarantee Meets No Response.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Peace between the warring nations has not been brought appreciably nearer by the speech of the Imperial German Chancellor in the Reichstag yesterday. "I do not see that the situation has been changed," said one of the foremost officials of the Government after the regular meeting of the Cabinet this afternoon. Beyond this no intimation of the Administration's attitude that might be accepted as authoritative came from those regarded as spokesmen for the United States.

Surface indications are that Chancellor von Hertling has failed to satisfy this Government either as to the good faith of Germany in suggesting bases for peace negotiations or a willingness to meet halfway the spokesmen for the Allies in their several declarations outlining the terms upon which peace might be accomplished. But the surface is very thin and no deep insight into the attitude of President Wilson and his advisers with respect to the Hertling assertions has been afforded.

The general comment of those in a position to know the President's views is that he must wait until he has received the full text of Count von Hertling's address before he can be expected to determine what his course shall be concerning the response to his statement of fundamental principles that must be recognized by the Central Powers in order to insure the initiation of peace negotiations.

Russia Affects Peace Outlook.

What has happened in Russia is referred to in many quarters as likely to affect the war situation. It is being said that a recognition by the Allies that Russia is out of it and must be looked upon hereafter as not to be considered in the final adjustments by the allied Governments with their enemies would make peace possible. The assertion has been made that Prime Minister Lloyd George virtually washed his hands of Russia and suggested that the dominant factions there should be left to shift for themselves.

The idea is also advanced that France might be willing to leave Germany a free rein in Russia, as through that means there might be some assurance that after the war French investments in Russia, which are heavy, would be recognized as valid obligations. There is in addition the constantly recurring suggestion that if Germany is left to do with Russia what she pleases she might reciprocate by returning Alsace-Lorraine to France.

These ideas do not by any means represent sentiment in official circles in Washington. They are mentioned merely as phases of discussion that has been going on for some time among men who are interested in the questions involved, but are in no position to speak with any authority.

Wilson Principles at Stake.

If what is said here by those near enough to the powers-that-be to understand something of the Governmental attitude counts, President Wilson is determined not to abandon Russia, but to have the American forces fight on for

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Germans Make Gas Attacks On Our Line, Killing Three Soldiers and Disabling Nine

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Feb. 26, (Associated Press.)—Three American soldiers were killed and nine badly gassed in two formidable gas attacks made by the Germans on the American positions in the Toul sector early this morning with projectors.

The enemy also heavily bombarded the American batteries with gas shells, but without result.

Only the excellent preparatory training in quickness by the American troops prevented the projector attacks, the first experienced by them, from causing more casualties.

Both attacks were made within ten minutes of each other and were directed at a certain wood. Seventy-five 8-inch shells of 80 per cent. gas and twenty high explosive shells were fired from German Minenwerfer. The flight of the projectiles was traced through the air, the gas shells bursting in the air and the high explosives detonating when they came in contact with the earth.

Large fragments of shells flew from both missiles.

The gas caught some of the men before they were able to adjust their masks and overcame others while they were asleep in dugouts.

The American artillery on Monday retaliated against the German artillery which had been shelling them, but which, despite the intensity of the fire, did no damage and wounded only one man.

The Americans began by shelling Montsec, where buildings were destroyed. They also effectively shot up a large working party in a dugout, from which cries for help were heard. The enemy today concentrated his fire on a certain town within the American lines.

The weather cleared today, and there was much aerial activity. Several fights in the air occurred over and behind the American line, and, in addition, the American aircraft guns were firing all day long. Enemy planes attacked a sausage balloon in which an American Captain was acting as observer. The balloon was hauled down hurriedly, without having been damaged.

FRENCH CHEFS' ANNUAL BALL Societe Culinaire Philanthropique, Hotel Astor, Thursday, Feb. 28. Proceeds to our Poilus, Widows and Orphans.—Advt.

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, W. Va. The Greenbrier. European plan. Wonderful curative waters. N. Y. Office, The Plaza.—Advt.

Bonar Law Says the War Will Not End Soon; Germany Proves in Russia She Wants Conquest

LONDON, Feb. 26.—Andrew Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer, spoke confidently of the progress of the war at a luncheon in the Aldwych Club today which was presided over by Lord Northcliffe.

Mr. Bonar Law said it was obvious the war was not going to end soon.

"Germany's conduct in the Russian negotiations," the Chancellor added, "shows that she still is determined to carry out the policy with which she entered the war—the conquest of neighboring territories and peoples."

The Chancellor declared that the pacifists of England were very few in number.

"If it were possible to have an election in this country on the plain issue, 'Shall we go on with the war until we have secured the results for which we entered it?'" he added, "the result would astonish us and our enemies."

Lord Northcliffe said he had studied the coming of the war for twenty years and was not afraid of the German bluff. The Germans had not succeeded in driving the people of the British race or the race coming from across the Atlantic out of anywhere.

The purpose of the luncheon was to start the business men's campaign for buying war bonds. Mr. Bonar Law said he hoped London would contribute as much as the remainder of the country and that he would be disappointed if the amount did not exceed £100,000,000.

LONDON PRESS IS SCORNFUL

Hertling's Professed Regard for Humanity Contrasted with Course Toward Russia.

NO CHANCE OF AGREEMENT

All of Wilson's Four Principles Being Trampled Under Foot, It Is Held.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—The evening newspapers see little hope for peace in the speech of Count von Hertling.

The Westminster Gazette comments:

"With what face, one wonders, can Count Hertling, who is old and religious, get up in the Reichstag and declare that his heart bleeds for humanity and profess his sympathy with President Wilson's appeal for justice, forbearance and respect for national rights at the very time when he is publicly engaged in one of the most cynical and callous transactions known to history?"

The newspaper says that it is obliged to say to von Hertling quite frankly that the mind to peace among the western nations—"the mind which seeks peace on an abiding and honorable condition is every day being chilled and alienated by the disclosures of the real Germany in her dealings with Russia." It goes on:

"We see every one of the four principles defined by President Wilson, to which the German Chancellor does lip service, being trampled underfoot."

The Globe says: "Von Hertling's present duty is to supply the camouflage behind which the real sovereign power of Germany, the great General Staff, carries on its operations. It is von Hertling's business to entangle some, or all, of the Allies in negotiations, as von Kühlmann (the German Foreign Secretary) entangled the deluded Russians, and then von Hindenburg and Ludendorff, the real sovereign power, will settle the terms and policy on the admirable principles of Brest-Litovsk."

The Evening Standard remarks:

"When the German Chancellor speaks peace, we know what kind of peace he means. We have seen a specimen of it in the case of unhappy Russia."

This newspaper then parallels excerpts from von Hertling's speech and the report of Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, on the attitude of the American workingmen as regards a conference with German labor, and adds

"This clear vision of the American people, labor included, sees that the only effect of a conference with the German people in their present mood will be a weakening of our moral case, the enfeeblement of the national wills, the discouragement of armies, and the embarrassment of Governments."

The Star says that at first blush von Hertling's speech seems to suggest that Pharooh's heart is not quit so hard as when last he spoke. It adds that von Hertling is trying to drive a wedge between the British and American people, and says that the proper counter to this attack is to "Wilsonize Great Britain's peace aims and compel the Government to speak in the language of President Wilson."

LEYLAND FREIGHTER SUNK BY SUBMARINE

The Philadelphian Torpedoed While on Her Way, Cargo Laden, to British Ports.

The British freight steamship Philadelphian, of 5,120 gross tons, owned by the Leyland Line, has been sunk by a submarine. She left New York with a cargo for British ports on Feb. 11, and was torpedoed about Feb. 21.

News of the loss was received yesterday in marine insurance circles and confirmed at the offices of the Leyland Line. No details were received. The Philadelphian was built in 1891.

Rest and be well at Grove Park Inn, Asheville, N. C. Finest resort in the world. No invalids, no children under ten.—Advt.

ACTION BY JAPAN URGED IN LONDON

Opinion Growing That Show of Force Would Stimulate Disheartened Russians.

FLEEING ALIENS IN DANGER

War Prisoners and Bolsheviki in Control of Part of Trans-Siberian Railroad.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—In the face of the steadily increasing demoralization of Russia, the opinion that time has come for Japan to act is growing here. For geographical reasons, she is the only one of the allied nations which can act, and she has a powerful army so far unaffected by the war.

Those who advocate Japanese intervention in Siberia realize fully that such action would have merely an indirect effect upon the main struggle, but they suggest it on the ground of common humanity. Little news is coming out of Siberia, but all there is shows the rapid progress of anarchy.

Railroad communication between Petrograd and Vladivostock is believed to most uncertain, and great fears entertained for foreigners who are seeking safety from the horrible conditions in European Russia by the trans-Siberian route. A party of prisoners of war is said to have seized one important section of the track, and beyond that the Bolsheviki are in full control.

There is no doubt whatever here that Japan could establish order in Eastern Siberia with a very small display of force, and it is argued that she would thus provide the nucleus of quiet to which whatever elements of order remain Russia could rally.

All the latest dispatches from Petrograd picture the people as so dispirited with prevailing confusion that they are almost welcoming the advance of the Germans as offering them escape from utter destruction, and it is maintained that even if Japan advanced only a comparatively short distance into the interior she would be rendering a real service to her allies in furnishing disheartened Russians with the hope that there was yet chance of restoring order and rebuilding these States.

BOLSHEVIKI DEMAND ANSWER FROM TEUTONS

Inquiry Sent by Wireless as to When Hostilities Are Going to Cease.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—An official Russian statement sent out by wireless yesterday announced that no reply had been received from Germany to the Russian communication accepting the German peace conditions. The announcement, which was signed by Premier Lenine and Foreign Minister Trotzky, again inquired when a reply would be given and hostilities cease.

The announcement was addressed "to all" and to Berlin, Dvinsk, Sofia, and Constantinople. It said that the highest authoritative body in Russia had decided to accept the new peace conditions of the Germans and that this decision had been transmitted to the German Government, while Ensign Krylenko (then Bolshevist Commander in Chief) had communicated with the German Headquarters Sunday and inquired if an armistice would automatically ensue upon the same basis as previously.

It added that no reply had been received either from the German Government or headquarters, and that meanwhile the Germans were still advancing. It then asked for a reply.

VIRGINIA HOT SPRINGS COMPANY announces that THROUGH PULLMAN SERVICE between Washington and Hot Springs will be resumed March 1st. Booking Office, Ritz-Carlton Hotel.—Advt.

AGAIN CALLS WAR DEFENSIVE

Hertling Says Russia Was Invaded to Safeguard Fruits of Peace.

WON'T HOLD NEW GAINS

Self-Determination Promised for People of Courland and Lithuania.

SEEKS PEACE COMPROMISES

Defends Princely Rule in Germany and Suggests That Wilson Has Illusions.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 26.—Following is a full report of Chancellor von Hertling's speech yesterday in the Reichstag.

After a few preliminary remarks by Dr. Hermann S. Paasche, Vice President of the Reichstag, and the first reading of the budget, Count von Hertling arose and said:

"The Reichstag has a right to receive an explanatory statement in regard to the foreign situation and the attitude of the Government concerning it. I will meet the obligation arising therefrom, even though I entertain certain doubts as to the utility and success of dialogues carried on by ministers and statesmen of belligerent countries.

"Mr. Runciman in the House of Commons recently expressed the opinion that we would get much nearer peace if, instead of this, responsible representatives of the belligerent powers would come together in an intimate meeting for discussion. I can only agree with him that that would be the way to remove numerous intentional and unintentional misunderstandings and compel our enemies to take our words as they are meant, and on their part also to show their colors.

Wants Compromise Settlements.

"I cannot at any rate discover that the words which I spoke here on two occasions were received in hostile countries objectively and without prejudice. Moreover, discussion in an intimate gathering alone could lead to understanding on many individual questions which can really be settled only by compromise.

"It has been repeatedly said that we do not contemplate retaining Belgium, but that we must be safeguarded from the danger of a country, with which we desire after the war to live in peace and friendship, becoming the object or the jumping-off ground of enemy machinations. If, therefore, a proposal came from the opposing side, for example from the Government in Havre, we should not adopt an antagonistic attitude, even though the discussion at first might only be unbinding.

"Meanwhile it does not appear as if Mr. Runciman's suggestion has a chance of assuming tangible shape, and I must adhere to the existing methods of dialogue across the Channel and ocean.

Reply on Wilson Principles.

"Adopting this method, I readily admit that President Wilson's message of Feb. 11 represents, perhaps, a small step toward a mutual rapprochement. I, therefore, pass over the preliminary and excessively long declarations in order to address myself immediately to the four principles, which, in President Wilson's opinion, must be applied in a mutual exchange of views.

"The first clause says that each part of the final settlement must be based upon the essential justice of that particular case and upon such adjustments as are most likely to bring a peace that will be permanent.

"Who would contradict this? The phrase, coined by the great father of the Church, Augustine, 1,500 years ago—'justitia fundamentum regnorum'—is still valid today. Certain it is that only peace based in all its parts on the principles of justice has a prospect of endurance.

"The second clause expresses the desire that peoples and provinces shall not be bartered about from sovereignty to sovereignty as if they were mere chattels and pawns in a game, even the great game, now forever discredited, of the balance of power.

"This clause, too, can be unconditionally assented to. Indeed, one wonders that the President of the United States considered it necessary to emphasize it anew. This clause contains a polemic against conditions long vanished, views against Cabinet politics and Cabinet wars, against mixing state territory and princely and private property, which belong to a past that is far behind us.

Suggests Illusion by President.

"I do not want to be discourteous, but when one remembers the earlier utterances of President Wilson, one might think that he is laboring under the illusion that there exists in Germany an antagonism between an autocratic government and a mass of people without rights.

"And yet President Wilson knows

(as, at any rate, the German edition of his book on the State proves) German political literature, and he knows, therefore that with us princes and Governments are the highest members of the nation as a whole, organized in the form of a State, the highest members, with whom the final decision lies. But, seeing that they also, as the supreme organs, belong to the whole, the decision is of such a nature that only the welfare of the whole is the guiding line for a decision to be taken. It may be useful to point this out expressly to President Wilson's countrymen.

"Then finally at the close of the second clause the game of the balance of power is declared to be forever discredited. We, too, can only gladly applaud. As is well known, it was England which invented the principle of the maintenance of the balance of power in order especially to apply it when one of the States on the European Continent threatened to become too powerful for her. It was only another expression for England's domination.

"The third clause, according to which every territorial settlement involved in this war must be made in the interest and for the benefit of the populations concerned, and not as part of any mere adjustment or compromise of claims among rival States, is the only application of the foregoing in a definite direction, or a deduction from it, and is therefore included in the assent given to that clause.

"Now, in the fourth clause he demands that all well-defined national aspirations shall be accorded the utmost satisfaction that can be accorded them without introducing new or perpetuating old elements of discord and antagonism that would be likely in time to break the peace of Europe, and consequently of the world. Here, also, I can give assent in principle, and I declare, therefore, with President Wilson, that a general peace on such a basis is discussable.

Wilson "in Advance of Realities."

"Only one reservation is to be made. These principles must not be proposed by the President of the United States alone, but they must also be recognized definitely by all States and nations. President Wilson, who reproaches the German Chancellor with a certain amount of backwardness, seems to me in his flight of ideas to have hurried far in advance of existing realities.

"Certainly a League of Nations, erected upon justice and mutual unselfish appreciation, a condition of humanity in which war, together with all that remains of the earliest barbarism, should have completely disappeared and in which there should be no bloody sacrifices, no self-mutilation of peoples, no destruction of laboriously acquired cultural values—that would be an aim devoutly to be desired.

"But that aim has not yet been reached. There does not yet exist a court of arbitration set up by all nations for the safeguarding of peace in the name of justice. When President Wilson incidentally says that the German Chancellor is speaking to the court of the entire world, I must, as things stand today, in the name of the German Empire and her allies, decline this court as prejudiced, joyfully as I would greet it if an impartial court of arbitration existed and gladly as I would co-operate to realize such ideals.

"Unfortunately, however, there is no trace of a similar state of mind on the part of the leading powers in the entente. England's war aims, as recently expressed in Lloyd George's speeches, are still thoroughly imperialistic and want to impose on the world a peace according to England's good pleasure. When England talks about peoples' right of self-determination, she does not think of applying the principle to Ireland, Egypt, or India.

Rejects Conquest Aim in Russia.

"Our war aims from the beginning were the defense of the Fatherland, the maintenance of our territorial integrity, and the freedom of our economic development. Our warfare, even where it must be aggressive in action, is defensive in aim. I lay especial stress upon that just now in order that no misunderstandings shall arise about our operation in the east.

"After the breaking off of peace negotiations by the Russian delegation on Feb. 10 we had a free hand as against Russia. The sole aim of the advance of our troops, which was begun seven days after the rupture, was to safeguard the fruits of our peace with Ukraine. Aims of conquest were in no way a determining factor. We were strengthened in this by the Ukrainians' appeal for support in bringing about order in their young State against the disturbances carried out by the Bolsheviki.

"If further military operations in other regions have taken place, the same applies to them. They in no way aim at conquest. They are solely taking place at the urgent appeals and representations of the populations for protection against atrocities and devastation by red guards and other hands. They have, therefore, been undertaken in the name of humanity. They are measures of assistance, and have no other character. It is a question of creating peace and order in the interest of peaceable populations.

"We do not intend to establish ourselves, for example, in Esthonia or Livonia. In Courland and Lithuania our chief object is to create organs of self-determination and self-administration. Our military action, however, has produced a success far exceeding the original aim.

"News was received yesterday that Petrograd had accepted our conditions and had sent its representatives to Brest-Litovsk for further negotiations. Accordingly, our delegates traveled thither last evening. It is possible that there will still be dispute about the details, but the main thing has been achieved. The will to peace has been expressly announced from the Russian side, while the conditions have been accepted and the conclusion of peace must ensue within a very short time.

"To safeguard the fruits of our peace with Ukraine, our army command drew the sword. Peace with Russia will be the happy result.

"Peace negotiations with Rumania began at Bucharest yesterday. It appeared necessary that Secretary von Kühlmann should be present there during the first days when the foundations were laid. Now, however, he will presumably soon go to Brest-Litovsk. It is to be remembered regarding negotiations with Rumania that we are not taking part in them alone, and are under obligation to champion the interests of our allies, Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria, and Turkey, and to see to it that a compromise is arranged there regarding any divergent desires that will possibly give rise to difficulties, but these difficulties will be overcome.

"With regard to Rumania, too, the guiding principle will be that we must, and desired to, convert into friends the States with which on the basis of the success of our army we now conclude peace.

"I will say a word regarding Poland, in behalf of which the Entente and President Wilson have recently appeared specially to interest themselves, as a country liberated from oppressive independence on Czarist Russia by the united forces of Germany and Austria-Hungary, for the purpose of establishing an independent State, which, in unrestricted development of its national culture, shall at the same time become a pillar of peace in Europe.

"The constitutional problem--in the narrower sense the question what constitution the new State shall receive—could not, as is easily understood, be immediately decided, and is still in the stage of exhaustive discussions between the three countries concerned. A fresh difficulty has been added to the many difficulties which have in this connection to be overcome, difficulties especially in the economic domain in consequence of the collapse of old Russia. This difficulty results from the delimitation of the frontier between the new State and adjacent Russian territory. For this reason the news of peace with the Ukraine at first evoked great uneasiness in Poland. I hope, however, that with good-will and proper regard to the ethnographical conditions a compromise on the claims will be reached. The announced intention to make a serious attempt in this direction has greatly calmed Polish circles.

"In the regulation of the frontier question only what is indispensable on military grounds will be demanded on Germany's part.

"The Entente is fighting for the acquisition of portions of Austro-Hungarian territory by Italy and for the severance of Palestine, Syria, and Arabia from the Turkish Empire.

"England has particularly cast an eye on portions of Turkish territory. She has suddenly discovered an affection for the Arabians and she hopes by utilizing the Arabians to annex fresh territories to the British Empire, perhaps by the creation of a protectorate dependent upon British domination.

"That the colonial wars of England are directed at increasing and rounding out the enormous British possessions, particularly in Africa, has been repeatedly stated by British statesmen.

"In the face of this policy Entente statesmen dare to represent Germany as the disturber of peace, who, in the interest of world peace, must be confined within the narrowest bounds. By a system of lies and calumny they endeavor to instigate their own people and neutral countries against the Central Powers and to disturb neutral countries with the spectre of the violation of neutrality by Germany.

"Regarding the intrigues recently carried on in Switzerland we never thought, nor will we think, of assailing Swiss neutrality. We are much indebted to Switzerland. We express gratitude to her, Holland, the Scandinavian countries and Spain, which by her geographical position is exposed to especial difficulties, and no less to the extra-European countries which have not entered the war, for their manly attitude in that, despite all temptations and oppressions, they preserve their neutrality.

"The world yearns for peace and desires nothing more than that the sufferings of war under which it groans should come to an end. But the Governments of the enemy States contrive ever anew to stir the war fury among their peoples. A continuation of the war to the utmost was, so far as has transpired, the most recent watchword issued by the conference of Versailles, and in the English Premier's speeches it again finds loud echo. There are, however, other voices to be heard in England; it is to be hoped that these voices will multiply.

"Our people will hold out further, but the blood of the fallen, the agonies of the mutilated and the distress and sufferings of the peoples will fall on the heads of those who insistently refuse to listen to the voice of reason and humanity."

PAYER URGED UNITY AT HOME.

Recent Strike Prejudiced Peace, Vice Chancellor Told Reichstag.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 26.—The speech of Friedrich von Payer, the German Vice Chancellor, in the Reichstag Monday, was on internal affairs, but was devoted mainly to inculcating the idea of the urgency of unity at home so as to enable the "victorious" armies to fulfill their heavy tasks. Von Payer expressed the conviction that notwithstanding the check the Prussian Franchise Reform bill met with in committee, it soon would be adopted.

He strongly condemned the recent strike movement, stating that while its direct effects had been small, it had greatly prejudiced the prospects of peace by raising hopes of Germany's political and economic collapse to the highest pitch, and even possibly had resulted in prolonging the war.

The Vice Chancellor asserted that any change in the censorship law to prevent arrests or the abolition of the state of siege were quite impossible during the war. He said no reduction in the bread ration was contemplated. There was only one thing, the Vice Chancellor added, that could now help Germany's enemies, namely, lack of unity behind the front.

"We owe it to our glorious army and its eminent leader to put in the background all that divides us, and to stand behind them as one man," von Payer said.

LORD READING NAMES STAFF

Lever, Smith, and Crawford Are Appointed.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Earl Reading, the British High Commissioner and Ambassador Extraordinary, has announced the following appointments:

Sir Hardman Lever, K. C. B., Financial Secretary to the Treasury, to be Assistant Commissioner in matters relating to finance.

Sir Henry Babington Smith, K. C. B., to be Assistant Commissioner in other matters, with the personal rank of Minister Plenipotentiary.

Sir Richard Crawford, K. C. M. G., to be Commercial Commissioner.

Sir Richard Crawford, who holds the personal rank of Minister Plenipotentiary, has been connected with the embassy for some time as commercial adviser. Sir Hardman Lever also is well known in Washington, having accompanied Mr. Balfour here last Spring in the capacity of financial expert.

MORE TROOPS SENT TO REPRESS IRISH

County Clare Declared Special Area Under Defense of the Realm Act.

FARMS SEIZED, WIRES CUT

Cattle Drivers Seek Protection from Bands—Mayo, Sligo, and Roscommon Affected.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—The outbreak of lawlessness in County Clare, Ireland, it is announced officially, rendered necessary the sending of additional troops to the county on Sunday to assist the police. County Clare has been declared a special area under the Defense of the Realm act.

Recent statements in London newspapers of all shades of political belief that lawlessness was spreading alarmingly in the west and south of Ireland were supplemented today by The Times Dublin correspondent, who says the Government will have to take a prompt and firm step at repression.

The law is ignored in Clare, Sligo, Roscommon, and Mayo, says the correspondent. The police are in daily conflict with lawbreakers. In parts of Clare cattle drivers, in fear of cattle thieves, have called for small bodies of troops. The telegraph wires have been cut, and trees are thrown daily across the roads to hinder the movements of troops and police. Farms are seized daily in the name of the Irish republic.

Dublin is particularly startled over the successful attempt of the Sinn Fein to stop the exportation of pigs, which the Sinn Feiners declared it is their intention to continue.

The correspondent admits that exportations in defiance of the Food Controller's orders had become a national grievance and that it was believed the authorities were taking steps to prevent them. Remedial measures, he adds, now would be interpreted as a result of Sinn Fein violence.

The general belief, the correspondent says, is that the police and troops have received orders to avoid conflicts with law breakers, but that if this was intended to preserve the Irish Convention atmosphere it has failed lamentably. The state of the country is now so serious that the people are wholly absorbed in this and have forgotten the very existence of the Irish Convention.

The correspondent concludes by saying that if a national Government were established tomorrow it would be compelled to begin its functions with a system of coercion.

DUBLIN, Feb. 25.—The manager of the branch of the Munster and Leinster Bank at Ennistmon, when motoring today to a temporary office at Kilfernoma, County Clare, was held up by six disguised men. Revolvers were held at the head of the manager and more than £6,000 was taken by the robbers. The bandits escaped and there is no clue to their identity.

Declaration of a special area under the Defence of the Realm act is tantamount to a declaration of martial law. County Clare is in the Province of Munster, on the western coast of Ireland. Professor De Valera, one of the Sinn Fein leaders, is Member of Parliament for East Clare; but he has never taken his seat.

BORDEN VISITS READING,

Canadian Premier in Washington for Series of Conferences.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Sir Robert Borden, Canadian Premier, arrived in Washington today for a series of official conferences. He spent the day with Lord Reading, the British Ambassador and High Commissioner, and members of the British and Canadian War Missions to the United States. Tomorrow he will call on President Wilson and meet various Government officials.

There was no official intimation of the purpose of the Premier's visit other than that he came to discuss with Lord Reading matters concerning British war work in Canada and in the United States. He probably will be here only a few days.

OTTAWA, Ontario, Feb. 26.—In order to facilitate the transaction of public business in the two countries a direct wire connection was established today between the Canadian War Trade Board here and the Canadian War Mission in Washington. The opening of the wire was marked by the exchange of congratulatory telegrams between President Wilson and representatives of Premier Borden.

BOLSHEVIST PLANS UPSET BY GERMANS

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are going to fight, and if we go down fighting the cause of the revolution is saved."

Central Committee Decides to Yield.

But at 5 o'clock this evening a meeting of the Central Executive Committee of all the Russian soviets, decided in favor of concluding peace with the Central Empires on terms more humiliating than those which Austria offered in the ultimatum rejected by Serbia three and a half years ago. That decision possibly was due to the strictness of the Bolshevist party discipline, since with the exception of one man, who will probably be ejected from the party today, the Bolsheviki voted solid, although a considerable number believe that the signing of that peace is the suicide of the Russian revolution and murder of the revolution elsewhere.

In the party meeting Lenine persuaded the majority to his view with the result that the whole party supported him, and it was decided by the Central Executive to conclude peace by 116 against 85, those not voting numbering 26.

Only thirty-six hours ago the war party in the Bolsheviki were considering how to force a German reply by sending an ultimatum to cease the advance.

Lenine's Attack on Trotzky.

Then came the news of the Germans sending terms. Already Lenine, in an article in the Pravda, had opened an attack on Trotzky, saying that all knew who in Russia was sick with the "malady of revolutionary phrases." The immediate purpose of that article was to destroy Trotzky's thesis that the Allies had already come to an agreement with Germany. Its ultimate purpose became clear yesterday afternoon when, after the arrival of the German terms, which for severity are almost unparalleled in history, Lenine in a further article disclosed his main line of argument for their acceptance.

This is that the international war is a source of revolution, and that since the international war will continue, it will continue to feed the revolution and that Russians must preserve at all costs as much as they can of the revolution until the time when the "bourgeois power bleeds to death" and the Russian people are joined by revolting nations in the west. Lenine referred to the view he had always held that peace should have been concluded at Brest-Litovsk. He had said "if we refuse, then tremendous defeats will force Russia to conclude a still more disadvantageous peace."

Lenine now pointed to an absolute refusal of the army to fight, and came out roundly with the ultimatum "only unrestrained rhetoric (referring to Trotzky) could force Russia to war in such conditions as the present moment, and of course I personally should not remain one second either in the Government or in the Central Committee of our party if the policy of rhetoric should conquer."'

To realize the full effect of the surprise and shock of this declaration you should know that it appeared in the Pravda, the editor of which had not had time to change his heavy type headlines, which, like the whole remaining contents of the paper, were in favor of fighting.

Even today the Isvestia contains a war article by Trotzky, and the Pravda prints an appeal in English for the formation of a foreign legion of revolutionaries to resist the German advance against Petrograd.

Of the German terms the Pravda yesterday printed only a short summary of four points and a notice that the Executive Committee would meet at 6 o'clock. I went at once to the Tauride Palace, where the parties were sitting separately and afterward discussing together.

Fierce little groups were in argument. At first many believed that Radek's war party would win in the Bolsheviki, but these gradually became less hopeful. The Left Social Revolutionaries, who are less under the immediate influence of Lenine, reported that in their party the majority was against signing a peace. There was a complete change of position in other parties. Thus, just as the Bolsheviki, who hitherto had been against signing, were becoming more nearly in favor of it, so old pacifist leaders like Matov of the internationalists, Sukhanov of the Jizn group, were virulently against signing. A group of anti-peace Bolsheviki, including Radek, Volodarsky, Bronsky, and others were less hopeful as the night wore on. The general feeling was of profound depression.

At the interparty meeting Lenine, after stating his own views, came out and sat with his back against the wall, one leg crossed over the other, his arms folded, so confident in the rightness and force of his opinion that he did not take the trouble even to listen to the arguments of his opponents. His was the only cheerful figure in the hall, and to look at his confidence was to know that the anti-peace party had no hope.

The Petrograd Soviet resolved that, taking into consideration the unheard-of difficulty of the situation in which it is placed by the fact of the German advance, it approves the action of the Government. At the same time, faced with the plain intention of German imperialism to refuse peace on any conditions, it summons the working class and garrison of Petrograd to the defense of Socialist Russia and the revolutionary capital.' A similar resolution in the form of a vote of confidence was passed by the Executive Committee.

The extraordinary staff of the Military District of Petrograd, with Bonch-Bruevitch at its head, has issued its first orders. General mobilization of the working classes is ordered for defense of the revolution. The borugeoise, in view of their obvious satisfaction at the coming of the Germans, are not called upon to fight, but are forced to dig trenches. But it is impossible to be blind to the fact that resistance will be vain. Its very organizers recognize that, and in preparing it are thinking of the defense of the idea of the revolution and the honor of the revolution throughout the world, and are not sistained by any false hope of physical victory.

The Pravda, in a leading article, puts the position clearly. Either the German imperialists will refuse the offer of the Government, in which case there must be a fight to the death. German imperialism may not trust its strength and will give a reprieve to the revolution for the sake of avoiding a conflict with its own working classes.

Thus if the Germans agree to peace on the Brest-Litovsk terms they will get it. If they are determined to advance, then the revolution will die fighting.

The actual meeting of the Central Executive opened at five minutes past 3 this morning. Sverdlov read the full German terms quickly and perfunctorily. They had already been read many times during party meetings, but I am convinced that not half the members present realized their full significance. Trotzky was not present. He had sacrificed his position when, over-persuaded by Lenine, he put his name to the telegram offering peace, which was a negation of his whole policy. His authority was so weakened by that step that even if he had been present he would have been merely a prisoner behind Lenine's chariot wheels and would have had to vote against himself.

There was silence in the hall, such a silence as in court when the Judge is about to pass the death sentence. Lenine came confidently to the tribune, and in a fifteen minutes' speech gave a relentless, unrhetorical statement of his position. He insisted that Russia could best serve the world revolution by preserving as much as possible and strengthening the Soviet Government and keeping it in existence until the opposing groups of the fighting powers should reach exhaustion and resulting revolution. He laid stress on the impossibility of resistance, and on the fact that the other countries were not yet ready to revolt, (this is the main basis of his disagreements with Trotzky,) and therefore that it was useless to enter on hopeless resistance in the hope that such action would immediately bring the democracies to the rescue. He was applauded by little more than half the assembly.

Martov made a good speech in opposition, but, like all opposition orators, dwelt more on the mere disadvantages of separate peace than on the terrible character of the actual terms. Throughout I had the impression that the Assembly, in the stress of party struggle, did not realize what it was to which they were committing themselves.

When it came to voting, hands were counted with the view to a speedy ascertaining of the result. The count gave 112 for peace and 84 against it, with 22 not voting. Bonch-Bruevitch left the assembly to telegraph Russia's acceptanace. Then the names of the members were read aloud. Each answered "for" or "against." One Bolshevik, Riezanov, disobeyed party discipline and voted against signing, for which he was cheered by the opposition.

It was terrible to hear man after man who up to the moment of the Assembly had been working to prevent signature now in dead voices recording their votes for their party against their conscience. After the voting, the declarations of the parties were read from the tribune. Then about six in the morning the committee adjourned.

No sledges were yet on the streets. I walked across Petrograd in the cold Winter dawn with a small group of Bolsheviki, almost all of them believing they had just connived at the revolution's death sentence. All were dead tired, and walked like convicts. I could hardly force myself to realise that not quite a year ago on just such a Winter's dawn I had walked those same streets in the joy and confidence of the awakening revolt.

THOUSANDS OF FRENCH ENGAGED IN RAIDING

FRENCH GRAND HEADQUARTERS, Feb. 25, (Associated Press.)—Trench raids along the French front have increased in intensity in the last month to such an extent that they have become, in some instances, battles in which thousands of men have been engaged and hundreds of prisoners taken. The artillery is throwing unheard of quantities of shells.

The objects of the raids vary widely. Sometimes a raid is undertaken in order to identify enemy units, and at other times to improve the lines or capture observation points. Again, a raid may be made to destroy the enemy's works and prevent him from attacking. This was the case in Saturday's raid at Aspach, Alsace, where the Germans were in strongly fortified lines which they had held since December, 1914. The enemy positions were bombarded beyond recognition, and placed in such condition as to hinder German operations.

The correspondent watched the showers of metal tearing away the wire entanglements, flattening the gun emplacements, and setting fire to the enemy ammunition dumps. The operation was a complete surprise to the Germans, and most of them retired to rear positions while the French infantry completed the work of the gunners. Only a few prisoners were taken, but most valuable information regarding the enemy's disposition of troops was obtained before the French returned to their own lines.

Other successful raids in Lorraine, the Argonne, and northwest of Rheims have demonstrated the nature of the German defense system. Nearly everywhere the enemy front lines are held lightly, and the main bodies of troops are kept so far in the rear that occasionally the French have reached the third, and even the fourth, line with slight resistance. This is the reason for the generally small number of prisoners, but in Lorraine the Germans were caught napping last week, and the haul of captured was large, being more than 400.

In addition to these big raids there have been innumerable smaller ones which have not been mentioned in the official statements. These have been carried out by mere squads, who usually bring back a number of prisoners.

PARIS, Feb. 26.—Marked artillery activity by both combatants is reported in the Chemin des Dames and Verdun sectors in the night communication from the French War Office, which says:

> The activity of both artilleries was marked north of the Chemin des Dames and on both banks of the Meuse, especially in the sectors of Hill 304, Le Mort Homme, Beaumont, and Chambrettes, where our batteries violently countershelled the enemy artillery. There was no infantry action.

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the accomplishment of the principles that led the United States to enter the war. The salvation of Russia from German autocratic domination is one of the concrete things that President Wilson has enunciated. And the President, it is pointed out, has sent a message of sympathy and hope to the Russian people which was too recent to justify the belief that he is now willing to abandon them to the fate that the autocratic group at Berlin has mapped out for them.

Today's Cabinet meeting developed nothing for publication concerning the Administration's attitude toward the declaration of Count von Hertling. Members of the Cabinet were reserved in their answers to questions designed to bring out the views of the President and his counselors. In these circumstances it is possible only to judge the Government's sentiments by what may be termed unofficial comment and the interpretation placed on the German Chancellor's address by Senators and Representatives.

While members of Congress were unwilling to hazard for publication an opinion as to how this Government would view the Hertling speech, it was apparent that most of those seen were unable to find that any advance toward peace had been made by the offer to accept the four general principles of a peace agreement laid down by President Wilson, provided, Count von Hertling stipulated, that they were indorsed by the other nations engaged in the war against Germany. Of the unofficial comment it is to be said that, although those approached were careful to say that they did not know President Wilson's attitude concerning what Count von Hertling proposed, there was a decided unanimity of view that the German Chancellor had not put the cause of peace forward to any appreciable degree.

Belgian Reference Doesn't Satisfy.

In the first place, it is pointed out, Count von Hertling's reference to a settlement of the Belgian question was entirely unsatisfactory. Attention was called to the fact that one thing upon which the Allies were in cordial agreement was that Belgium should be evacuated and rehabilitated by Germany. In the face of this known position of the allied nations, the German Chancellor has proposed that withdrawal of German forces from Belgium shall not take place until Germany has been "safeguarded from the danger of a country with which we desire to live in peace and friendship becoming the object or jumping-off ground of enemy machinations." In other words, Germany would not abandon Belgium offhand as a preliminary to peace, but would hold the conquered territory for the purpose of trading with the great allied powers and in addition would insist upon guarantees to Germany's advantage.

This would be entirely unsatisfactory to all the Allies, including the United States, it is said here.

In connection with Belgium, still another obstacle to the making of peace is found in Count von Hertling's speech. The Chancellor suggested a reversion to his previously declared position, which President Wilson found objectionable, in indicating that Germany would not be antagonistic to a proposal from the Belgian Government to discuss an arrangement for returning the little kingdom to its rulers. This is apparently an offer to make a separate peace with Belgium. President Wilson has declared that all the allied nations must participate in the settlement of the questions involved in the war, and Count von Hertling's proposal is knowingly a rejection of the President's stand in this particular.

Good Faith on Russia Doubted.

It was noted also today that the Imperial Chancellor avoided any reference to having Russia's future considered in connection with a peace agreement. He did furnish assurances that the Central Powers intended to give self-government to the provinces of Courland and Lithuania, and that "we do not intend to establish ourselves in Esthonia or Livonia," but the inference from his remarks was that Germany regarded the Russian situation as having already been settled and as not calling for any adjustment at the hands of those gathered around the general peace table.

In his refusal to abandon Russia, President Wilson, it is believed, will not subscribe to the Hertling doctrine, but will insist that the Allies are in honor bound to prevent Germany from extending her territories into the conquered Russian lands. One of the cardinal principles laid down by President Wilson in his address to Congress on Feb. 11, was, that peoples and provinces are not to be bartered about from sovereignty to sovereignty as if they were mere chattels and pawns in a game.

Count von Hertling accepted this principle conditioned on its recognition by all the Allies. It probably will be argued in Germany that the promise of self-government to Courland and Lithuania and the assurance that Germany does not intend to establish herself in Esthonia or Livonia meet the President's requirements. But it is well understood that the President has no faith in German promises of that character and would not assent to a proposal that the fate of Russia should be left to German determination.

No Progress Toward Liberalism.

One of the things that stand out most prominently in today's comment here on the Hertling speech is that there is yet no assurance of compliance with what is regarded by officials generally—officials who know intimately the President's attitude—as the very basic principle of the President's war aims program. The President has made it clear on more than one occasion that peace dealings with Germany were useless until the Government of that country was liberalized to the extent of enabling the people to have a greater voice in its management. The President contended that the present rulers of Germany had shown themselves unworthy of trust, and that there could be no certainty of the fulfillment of peace guarantees until they were more amenable to the will of the people.

The condition of autocratic domination of which the President complained still exists. It exists even in greater degree since Hindenburg and his Pan-German, militaristic advisers, through their treatment of Russia, were able to ignore the will of the majority of the Reichstag expressed in the resolutions of July 19, 1917, declaring for a peace without annexations or indemnities. In these circumstances some observers in Washington were unable to see today how President Wilson could accept assurances from the representative of a group which the President has declared publicly must be curtailed in its powers before peace terms can be arranged.

Officials were not willing to assert today that Germany had again violated her pledges by advancing into Russia without giving due notice to the Bolshevist Government. Trotzky has charged that there was an agreement at Brest-Litovsk by which either side was to give seven days' notice to the other of an intention to resume hostilities. Officials admitted that they did not know precisely what was arranged at Brest-Litovsk in this particular, and for that reason withheld comment as to whether Germany had again demonstrated that she regarded a written pledge of this sort as a mere scrap of paper.

Colonel House Still in Washington.

Colonel E. M. House is still here, the guest of his son-in-law, Gordon Auchincloss, and is in frequent communication with President Wilson. There is no indication that the President will address Congress soon in response to Count von Hertling. His most recent address, which discussed a previous speech of the German Chancellor, was delivered immediately following the arrival of Colonel House in Washington.

In quarters where information as to the President's intentions would be known before it reached the public, the belief prevails that the President will not make any utterance on the subject of peace until opportunity has been given to obtain the views of Count Czernin, the Foreign Minister of Austria-Hungary, in regard to the President's discussion of peace aims in his address to Congress on Feb. 11. In that address, to which Count von Hertling's speech of yesterday was a response, the President showed a sympathetic interest in what had been said by Count Czernin, and practically invited the Austrian statesman to amplify his outline of conditions precedent to a cessation of hostilities.

Allied diplomats indicated today that they believed there could be only one course for the United States, following what they characterized as the flippant treatment of President Wilson's proffered opportunity for peace by Germany. That course was a grim resolution to carry on the war to the only conclusion possible of realizing the war aims of America. Peace never seemed more remote, these authorities believed, than at the present moment. The enemy powers, they said, are unwilling to concede more than words; they talk as conquerors, and as if to give the lie to every profession heretofore favorably considered by the Allies and the United States, are prosecuting, contrary to the Reichstag resolutions of July 19 last, a vast policy of conquest in Russia.

Congressmen See Camouflage.

One of those who consented today to comment on Count von Hertling's speech was Senator James Hamilton Lewis of Illinois, Democratic whip of the Senate, and strong supporter of President Wilson's policies.

"Count von Hertling evidently is trying to play a clever game with the pacifist element in America," said Mr. Lewis. "He wants to make America think that Germany is sincere in her desire for peace based upon the broad principle of the rights of all nations. He conceals the fact that it is Germany that wants to dictate the terms of peace.

"The German Chancellor does not want his own people to thin kthat President Wilson has directed himself more to Austria than to Germany—that President Wilson feels that Austria's attitude is more easily dealt with than Germany's. Count Hertling seeks to put Germany to the fore as the dominant factor in peace negotiation.

"It is evident that Germany intends playing her own game so as to keep the back door to the Baltic and not relinquish anything that she is not forced to give up. Hertling's speech may be taken as a ruse."

Comments by members of the House follow:

Representative George S. Graham, Republican, Pennsylvania—It is camouflage, like the rest of his declarations. There is a lack of sincerity in it, and it is an effort if possible to create a division of sentiment between the United States and the Allies. The action of Germany in Russia shows the utter insincerity of any such propositions. We must be in a position to insist on peace on a just and honorable basis. I do not see that these interchanges of speeches at long range accomplish much except to do what von Hertling expects, to mislead his own people.

Representative Slayden, Democrat, Texas—Each time they are getting a little bit nearer. Hertling invites the conference when he refers to Walter Runciman. I believe this is an invitation to a parley to negotiate peace. Wilson's famous four principles have been accepted by Hertling, Lloyd George, and Count Czernin. It marks progress toward a settlement.

Representative Hamilton, Republican, Michigan—My interpretation is that Germany has reached the stage where she is willing to negotiate on some non-nebulous terms. It is not surprising if she is willing to talk peace, having got such sweeping concessions from Russia.

Representative Rainey, Democrat, Illinois—There is not enough involved in the four principles laid down by Mr. Wilson to make a basis for future negotiations. I do not think the Hertling statement, as published, gets us any nearer peace.

BOLSHEVIKI BEGIN TO FIGHT THE FOE

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is stated that an armored airplane acted as a scout for the German cavalry advancing along the railway. When the airplane, hovering over Ostrov, signaled that the evacuation had been begun the cavalry rushed up at full gallop.

The Bolshevist headquarters were transferred yesterday from the Smolny Institute to a military camp, where the workmen of the city are assembled en masse, carrying red banners, and fighting detachments are being formed continually. It is reported, however, that the Council of People's Commissaries, which forms the Bolshevist governing body, has decided to remain at the Smolny Institute.

A number of British subjects have left Petrograd for home the past week, but the Embassies still remain there.

Says Treaty Won't Be the End.

Signing of a Russo-German peace will not be the final solution of the German problems on her eastern frontier, and the final settlement will come when the peoples of Courland, Esthonia, Livonia, and Poland take matters into their own hands, according to M. Kameneff, one of the Bolshevist delegates to the Brest-Litovsk negotiations, in an interview in The Daily News. M. Kameneff has arrived in London after a three weeks' journey from Petrograd. He is on his way to Paris as Bolshevist plenipotentiary to France.

With the handing over of the land and factories to the peasants and workers, M. Kameneff said, they had begun to realize, as they could not under the old régime, that a German invasion of Russia would injure their vital interests. Consequently, the consciousness of the necessity of defending the country was growing among the Russians.

M. Kameneff said he was convinced the Germans would be unable to import food from the Ukraine, because the people there would prevent the Rada from fulfilling the promise given Germany. The Rada's invocation of German aid had raised bitter hatred among the Ukrainian workers and peasants, who recognize only the authority of the Workmen's and Soldiers' Councils. That was the reason, he declared, that the Rada had to flee from the Ukraine to the protection of German bayonets.

German occupation of Petrograd, M. Kameneff added, would not be enough to restore the monarchy. Any attempt at restoration would entail fighting in every town and village, for the peasants and workers were well aware that a restoration would involve the loss of their land and political rights.

An official Russian wireless communication signed by the People's Commissioner for Food, received here today, urges the immediate mobilization of the whole population for the "purpose of supplying with bread the starving north and Petrograd itself, where the existing famine is sapping the vitality of the glorious defenders of the revolution."

"The German bourgeoisie," the appeal continues, "has mobilized all its forces, and, supported by the capital of the whole world, is striving to kill the Russian revolution and enslave the free people of the federal republic by retaking the lands which they have conquered from the landlords."

GERMANS TAKE TOWN IN UKRAINE

Drive Reds Back in Fight Along the Pripet and Enter Kolenkowitz.

BERLIN, Feb. 26. (via London.)—General Linsingen's forces, operating in Volhynia, have captured the town of Kolenkowitz after a battle, the German General Staff announced today. The statement follows:

> Army Group of General von Eichhorn—Yesterday morning, four days after crossing Moon Sound, the troops which had marched on Reval, with cyclists, cavalry, machine guns, and sharp-shooters at their head, under command of Lieut. Gen. Freiherr von Seckendorff, took the fortress after a battle.
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> In Livonia flags were hung out in many towns when we marched in. A great many inhabitants who had been arrested by the Russians were set free.
>
> South of Pskov our regiments met with stubborn resistance. They defeated the enemy in a violent battle, and the town was captured.
>
> Near Kolenkowitz enemy forces threw themselves against detachments which were pressing forward into the Ukraine along the Pripet. The enemy was thrown back by a sharp attack, and the town and railway station were taken by storm. Within a few days the troops of General von Linsingen's army group have covered more than 300 kilometers (186 miles) on foot, by rail, and in motor cars, under conditions of great strain and hardship. In co-operation with Ukrainian troops, they have freed a great part of the country from looting bands. The Ukrainian Government has restored quiet and order in the regions which have been cleared of the enemy.

REVAL NOW WOULD BE FREE

Declares Esthonia Independent—Prohibits Continuance in War.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—The municipality of Reval, captured Monday by the Germans, has published a manifesto declaring the independence of Esthonia, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Petrograd.

Esthonia is declared a neutral State and a Provisional Government of citizens has prohibited participation in the Russo-German war. Property, confisicated by the Bolsheiki, will be returned immediately to the former owners.

Government troops in Finland, it is added, have arrested Mme. Alexandra Kollantay, Bolshevik Minister of Public Welfare, and other members of the Bolshevist delegation sent abroad to organize an international Socialist conference.

The newspaper, Nash Viek of Petrograd, a Reuter dispatch says, states that when the Germans were seven versts from Reval they sent emissaries to the town who announced that in view of the declaration of Esthonian independence the Germans were coming as guests, not as conquerors.

TURKS RETAKE TREBIZOND.

Caucasus Asks for Peace, and Parley Is to be Held.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 26.—A dispatch received from Constantinople says that Turkish troops have entered Trebizond, on the Black Sea coast of Asia Minor, and cleared it of "bands."

At the request of the Russian Commander in the Caucasus and the President of the Caucasus Republic, says a Constantinople dispatch, Turkey has agreed to fix a place for peace negotiations. This announcement was made by the Turkish Foreign Minister in the Chamber. The Minister said that, after the withdrawal of the Russian troops from the eastern provinces, the Turks had cleared these provinces of marauding bands and reached Baiburt.

The "bands" referred to in the foregoing dispatch may be the Russian troops garrisoning Trebizond. This city, the most important on the Turkish coast of the Black Sea, was captured by the Russians in April, 1916.

FRANCIS TO QUIT PETROGRAD.

Ambassador Sends Report That Germans Are Nearing Capital.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The State Department today announced the receipt of a cablegram from David R. Francis, Ambassador at Petrograd, which said that while the Bolsheviki had agreed to the German peace terms the Germans were continuing to advance rapidly into Russia. Ambassador Francis's message was sent yesterday afternoon, and stated that at the time the message was sent the German forces were within eight hours of the capital.

Ambassador Francis informed the department that he was leaving Petrograd immediately "if he could." This is interpreted as meaning that by this time the Ambassador is on his way eastward. The Ambassador said that he was leaving with the diplomatic representatives of Japan, China and Siam. His message came through to Washington more rapidly than any message he had sent in weeks. It was sent by way of Peking.

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WARN AGAINST EVIL IN DRY AMENDMENT

Speakers at Legislative Hearing See Peril for Nation in Some of Its Provisions.

FEARS 'CONCURRENT POWER'

Austen Fox Predicts Conflict of Authority—Bailey Says a New Party Is Coming.

BRYAN ASSAILS BREWERS

Asserts Money Interests Are Opposing Legislation—Gompers Leads Anti-Prohibition Forces.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Feb. 26.—For nearly six hours today the champions of national prohibition battled with the forces opposing ratification of the Federal prohibition amendment at a hearing before a joint legislative committee. In point of attendance, as well as in the bitterness of the battle of oratory, the hearing was the most remarkable in the history of the Capitol. An hour before the hearing was scheduled to begin the spacious Assembly Chamber, where it was held, was crowded, while lobbies and approaches were choked with persons struggling to gain admission.

William Jennings Bryan led the prohibition forces. He held the vast audience spellbound during an address that lasted more than hour. Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor; ex-United States Senator Joseph W. Bailey of Texas, and Austen G. Fox, a prominent New York lawyer, who appeared to oppose the ratification of the Federal amendment on behalf of the New York City Bar Association, led the fight for the "wet" forces.

Though the prohibition forces made a greater demonstration than on any previous occasion, it is not believed that today's developments will bring about any change in the situation affecting the Federal amendment, which is slated for defeat, at least at the present session. The concurrent resolution introduced under the auspices of the Senate Committee on Taxation and Retrenchment, and providing for an amendment to the State Constitution which would make New York bone dry, if ratified, in 1919, will have the right of way in the present Legislature as providing a means of getting a line on the sentiment among the people on the whole question of prohibition prior to legislative action on the Federal amendment.

Assembly Chamber Invaded.

The advance guards of the contending forces began to arrive at the capital last night. All the early trains today added to the numbers on both sides. Hardly had the session of the Assembly come to a close before there was a rush into the chamber to take possession of the members' seats. The "wets" wore red or red, white and blue badges. The champions of prohibition wore large white badges on which appeared the legend, "Ratification First." The "wets" took possession of that part of the Assembly Chamber to the left of the main aisle, while the "drys" lined up their forces on the opposite side.

An evidence of the tension about the Capitol prior to the hearing was given in the Assembly Chamber in the forenoon, when the Rev. Truman A. Kilbourne of Medina opened the Assembly session with a prayer, during the course of which he said:

"We pray Thee for Thy special presence and blessing this afternoon on the hearing so fraught with meaning to the people of this State. Grant as a result that soon there may be eliminated from our midst one of the great curses of national and personal life and that it may be put away from us forever."

Assemblyman Martin G. McCue, a Tammany member who owns a hotel, claimed the floor on a question of privilege soon after the clergyman finished. He said he had not heard the prayer, but understood from other members that it was not a proper one, that the Chaplain had "not been fair and honest, but had taken advantage of his position on the rostrum and his assignment." He asked that the official stenographer be directed to read the prayer, so that he could move to have it stricken from the record, if he should find the rumors verified. Speaker Sweet ruled that this motion could not be brought until the minutes of today's session were submitted for approval at the session tomorrow. This ended the incident.

Sees Conflict of Authority.

Austen G. Fox was the first speaker at the hearing. He told the committees that the Bar Association, at its annual meeting, had adopted a resolution opposing ratification of the Federal amendment on the ground that it would create a conflict of authority between Federal and State authorities through its provision for concurrent jurisdiction in the enforcement of prohibition.

"This is the first time it has ever been suggested that Congress and the States have concurrent power to enforce an article of amendment," said Mr. Fox. "This form is not only objectionable, but dangerous. If we mean to give Congress power to enforce prohibition, let us say so. If you think it wise to give the State control, say so, but do not mix your authorities, or you are bound to have trouble. What would have happened to the Thirteenth amendment, freeing the slaves, if the South had proposed to insert a provision that 'the Congress and the several States shall have concurrent power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation'?"

Samuel Gompers, who was called upon next, said he had been directed to appear by the State Federation of Labor and by other federated labor interests. Mr. Gompers said that not only all the organized labor in the State, but in the nation, was opposed to prohibition. He said that personally he opposed prohibition because "it did not root out the great evil of intemperance." Anyhow, Mr. Gompers said, this was hardly a time to divide in opposite camps over the question.

"The question involved is deeper than the Constitutional issue," said Mr. Gompers. "Drinking should be the subject to rules of common sense, not of law. The suppression by law of the normal habits of a man is not only injurious, but dangerous. The exercise of his normal rights is the constitutional right of the individual. Because here and there small numbers abuse that right this is no reason for denying it to all."

Dangerous Economically, Says Gompers.

Mr. Gompers said that the temperance people themselves were most intemperate in their expressions.

"The President of the United States has been maligned and characterized by them as the chief brewer of America. The head of the Catholic Church has been stigmatized by foul men. Our army in Europe has been characterized by the advocates of prohibition as a 'rum sodden gang of men,' and though this has been repudiated by General Pershing, it was only a few nights ago I heard this slander upon our fighting boys in France repeated in the vilest terms by one of the speakers in the Congressional elections in New York City."

Mr. Gompers said that prohibition was dangerous from an economic point of view, because it would throw an army of men out of employment. He said it was particularly dangerous with the country at war and would bring no outweighing good in return.

"I plead that there is not any one thing that can bring more comfort to the heart of Kaiserism in Germany than this proposition, which I regard as one of the most unpatriotic ever submitted to our people," said the labor leader. "And look at Russia. I won't attempt to present to you even a thought that the condition of Russia is primarily due to prohibition, but the fact is as it is: the situation there is as it is."

This utterance was greeted with jeers and laughter from the "drys."

"Aren't we asking about enough of German and Austrian and Italian fellow-citizens," Mr. Gompers asked, "to be loyal and give their support to this Government against the countries of their own birth, or the birth of their parents, without injecting at this time a question of regulating or prohibiting their normal habits?"

Everett P. Wheeler, representing the Reform Club, the Downtown Association, and the Czech Association of New York City, filed briefs with the committees in which he contended that the Federal amendment had not been adopted and submitted by the Congress in accordance with the constitutional proviso requiring a two-thirds vote for adoption of such amendments. Mr. Wheeler said only 47 votes, less than a majority, had been cast for it in the United States Senate, while in the House 282, considerably less than two-thirds, had been given in favor of its adoption.

Ex-United States Senator Bailey said that the attempt to make the nation dry by amendment to the Constitution marked a radical new departure in the attitude of the nation and its lawmakers toward that instrument.

"We have had this immortal instrument in force for 128 years," said Senator Bailey. "This is the first time in all those years that an amendment has been proposed having for its object the curtailment of the liberties of citizens."

Senator Bailey made a strong point of the fact that in the United States Senate the State of New York, with many times the population of such States as Oklahoma and Arizona, had only the same number of votes, and that there were six States with twelve votes which had only one-fourth of the population represented by New York's two.

"New York is the last State that should invite the amendment habit," he said. "New York is the last State that should submit to interference from other States with its local affairs. Nor should you interfere in the local affairs of other States. You are not any too popular among the States of the Union right now."

Democrats among the "wets" joined in the demonstration which greeted Mr. Bryan from the prohibition side of the chamber when he appeared to speak. This lasted for a minute or more. His speech also was frequently interrupted by applause.

"The fight was led by a woman, and this woman would never have been allowed to vote if the interests arrayed behind the opposition had their way. It is the money back of this saloon business which we have to fight. The reason they are for the referendum and against the ratification of the Federal amendments that the big cities, brewery and distillery ridden, would override the vote in the rural districts.

"Senator Bailey has spoken of the sanctity of the Constitution. But Jefferson, the writer of the Declaration of Independence, at whose feet Senator Bailey and I have sat, said that the Constitution should be changed every generation, as a constitution is made for the living and not for the dead.

"Alcohol is a poison, yet you license men to sell it and poison other men. You won't license men to spread hog cholera in New York State. We only ask you to raise men to the hog level in the treatment they receive from the State. We are having meatless days and wheatless days. Why not beerless day? The men who are behind the opposition would make drunkards of our future soldiers and leave us defenseless before a foreign foe."

Bailey Assails the Commoner.

Ex-Senator Bailey, on rebuttal, assailed Mr. Bryan when the latter had already left the chamber.

"Colonel Bryan's talk was not much of a compliment to the committees," he said. "It was constructed on the sixteen-to-one basis—sixteen grains of emotion to one grain of logic and argument. Mr. Bryan never does wrong intentionally, but he never does right at all. In all the years I have known him my greatest regret has been that he did not become a preacher. He would have saved the Democratic Party, had he."

Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel for the Anti-Saloon League, speaking for ratification, said that the United States Supreme Court in a recent decision had declared that the liquor traffic endangered the health and morality of the people and had no inherent right on American soil or any other soil.

The Right Rev. Canon William Sheafe Chase of New York called attention to the national aspect of the fight where 61 per cent. of the people had adopted prohibition for their States.

James Acton, a member of the Toronto Board of Trade, said that war prohibition had worked wonders in Canada, and probably would be made permanent after the war.

The Rev. James S. Springham of the Protestant Episcopal Church Temperance Society, President S. J. Lowell of the State Grange, with its 120,000 members; Roland S. Bishop, State Chairman of the Prohibition Party; Mrs. Mamie L. Colvin, Prohibition candidate for Congress in the Twenty-first District, and William Douglas of Syracuse, Chairman of the Trades Union Dry League, with many others spoke in favor of ratifying the Federal Amendment.

Bailey Predicts a New Party.

Senator Bailey compared the Union to a vast edifice and the States to forty-eight pillars supporting it. "Would you destroy the Union in order to destroy the saloon?" he asked. "The moment you deprive one State of its right of local self-government, you destroy one of the pillars. The moment you deprive all the States of that right you may just as well make a bonfire out of the Federal Constitution.

"Persist in digging under the foundations of this Republic and we have to employ the mechanics of another party to do our work. This is not a threat, but a prediction. The organization of a new party is inevitable. It will take all of the Democratic Party, some of the Republican Party and what it does not take of these will go to the Socialists. You cannot continue three radical parties at the present. There must be one conservative party."

He drew cheers from the Socialists when he wound up by saying: "The Socialists might take our property, but they would not take our liberties."

State Superintendent Anderson of the New York Anti-Saloon League, who marshaled the prohibition forces, had many more speakers on hand than had the "wets." There were so many of them, in fact, that after a while Mr. Anderson was compelled, in order to save time, to have his prospective orators merely stand up, give their names, and the interests they represented. There were approximately fifty such instances. Mr. Anderson introduced as his first speaker Mrs. Ella A. Boole, State President of the Women's Christian Temperance Union.

"Women appear here for the first time as voters who can ask you with authority to ratify this amendment," she said. "I remind you gentlemen of the committees that there are 45,000 members of our association in this State, and that we all are old enough to vote. Public sentiment is against rum. The Government in this war forbids the sale of rum to men in uniform. Why protect the soldier at the front and not his brother at home? Is it that the Government needs the revenue? Must the boy at home drink liquor, in order to provide a tax to support his brother at the front?"

Roosevelt in Good Spirits.

Colonel Roosevelt was in excellent spirits yesterday. Following the visit of Will H. Hays, the new Chairman of the Republican National Committee, who spent a half hour chatting with him in the morning, he seemed more cheerful and sat up the greater part of the day. After he retired it was stated that he was resting quietly. George B. Cortelyou, Joseph Bucklin Bishop, and Edwin Morgan were some of the day's visitors.

OUR MEN CHASED GERMANS TOO FAR

This Is the Only Criticism of Their Work in Recent Raid on the Aisne.

WERE PICKED VOLUNTEERS

Every Man of the Battalion Wanted to Go, but Only 26 Could Be Used.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Feb. 25, (Associated Press.)—Details of the Franco-American raid in the Chemin des Dames on Saturday show that twenty-six picked American soldiers participated, after every member of their battalion had volunteered.

The Americans moved forward eagerly to the attack behind a barrage fire, the first time this has been done by our troops. Some of the Americans made captures, and others chased Prussian troops through the trenches as far as 750 meters, going beyond the objectives sought.

The raid had been planned carefully and rehearsals were held the day before. The barrage fire began at 5:30 o'clock in the morning and continued until 6:35, guns of all calibres taking part.

The Americans among the 100 in the attacking party were surprised at the precision with which the French shells fell, and went a little faster than they should have, so that they were within thirty yards of the dropping shells when they reached the enemy lines.

Relief had just been completed in the German trenches and officers were making the rounds. The Germans took shelter in a dugout roofed with rails and sandbags. A French shell made a direct hit, and the enemy scattered about the trench. At the same moment the Americans and French jumped in.

There was some hand-to-hand fighting, but the entire enemy party at this point was captured. The raiders chased the enemy out of other shelters and along communicating trenches without catching any. There was some criticism of the fact that the Americans were so enthusiastic that they went beyond the objectives.

The raiders and prisoners started back across No Man's Land on schedule time, but were caught in a German counterbarrage. One enemy shell wounded five Germans and six Frenchmen, but no Americans.

The prisoners were from 16 to 40 years old. All apparently were undernourished, but said that food was plentiful in the trenches. The similarity of their stories, however, aroused suspicion. Most of the prisoners formerly worked in factories or on farms.

The artillery duel in the American sector northwest of Toul grows more intense daily. The Germans fired a hundred or more shells during the last twenty-four hours, and late this evening began to bombard violently some of our batteries with gas and high explosive shells.

The American artillery has replied constantly, doing most effective work against the enemy front-line trenches, his battery positions, and wire entanglements. Numerous enemy working parties also were shelled. Beyond observation by balloons there has been no aerial activity owing to the low clouds and rain.

American machine guns last night and this morning fired many thousand rounds in the rear of the German positions where marked movements of men and material are in progress. The enemy tried unsuccessfully to hinder the American patrol work by hurling new and powerful flares into the American wire entanglements.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—An official French dispatch received here today said that the recent Franco-American raid in the Chemin des Dames region took place at Chevregny, and that the two American officers and twenty-four soldiers who were chosen after the entire battalion had volunteered for service "gave proof of a spirit equal to" that of the French troops.

American batteries, the dispatch said, co-operated in the preparation for the raid, which, though of only short duration, was extremely violent.

TWO BROOKLYN MEN KILLED AT THE FRONT

Private E. F. Hernon and Corporal A. J. Schrader on Pershing's List of Casualties.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The death of one man in action, of two others from wounds suffered in action and a fourth from a gun explosion were reported to the War Department today by General Pershing. The dispatch also gave the names of four men slightly wounded on the fighting line.

Private James J. Regenery of Oshkosh, Wis., was killed in action Feb. 19, and Privates Edward F. Hernon, 451 East Fifteenth Street, Brooklyn, and David Hickey, 5872 Garfield Avenue, St. Louis, have died of wounds. Corporal Anthony J. Schrader of 15 Moultrie Street, Brooklyn, died of wounds caused by the explosion of a gun.

The men wounded were Private Adelbert Morey, Lewiston, Minn.; Private Bennie Tauchus, Brockton, Mass.; Private Hugh F. Gilmore, Louisville, Ky., all on Feb. 23, and John P. King, Springdale, Ark., Feb. 25. King's rank was not given.

The following deaths in the American Expeditionary Forces from natural causes were announced today: Privates James F. Stafford, Tiverton, R. I., typhoid fever; Joseph A. Malay, 197 South Elmwood Avenue, Buffalo, N. Y., pneumonia; Enfred A. Johnson, Malden, Mass., meningitis.

Edward Hernon, who is mentioned in General Pershing's casualty list, lived at a boarding house at 451 East Fifteenth Street, Brooklyn, before his enlistment in the army. Roomers at that address last night were unable to give any information about him.

Corporal Anthony J. Schrader lived with his aunt, Miss Josephine Ochs, at 175 Normand Avenue, Brooklyn, before his enlistment in the field artillery in 1914. He was 23 years old and an orphan. He had been employed in the construction department of the Long Island Railroad. Most of his time in the army had been in service on the Texas border.

STAMP SALES $70,000,000.

United States Leads Great Britain's Record in War Savings.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Receipts from the sale of war savings stamps in this country already are exceeding those from the same source in Great Britain, according to figures made public today by the National War Savings Committee. For the last four weeks total receipts at the Treasury from this source were $40,000,000, as against $37,000,000 in Great Britain.

As the total American war savings are now in excess of $70,000,000 and are averaging nearly $2,000,000 a day, it is expected that the first $100,000,00 will be recorded in the third week of March, or in a little more than three months after the first offering of the stamps.

65 ON LATEST LIST OF TUSCANIA'S LOST

Four New Yorkers Among Those Officially Accounted "Missing or Unidentified Dead."

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Sixty-five other American members of the expeditionary force on board the transport Tuscania, when that vessel was sunk by a German submarine, were accounted for officially late this afternoon when the War Department received a partial list of those "officially reported missing or among the unidentified dead." Among them were four New Yorkers, as follows:

BARTOLOMEO, ADOLPH; Mary Regan, nearest relative, 169 Edgecombe Avenue, New York.
COHEN, RUBEN; Alon Cohen, 199 Christopher Avenue, Brooklyn.
DREYER, RICHARD F.; Ra R. Dreyer, Sea Cliff, N. Y.
NOTKOWITZ, JULIUS; Miss Gussie Notkowitz, 390 Grand Street, New York.

The others in the list received today were:

ALLEN, CLARENCE W., Traverse City, Mich.
ALTWEEN, GEORGE A., Temple, Texas.
BAKER, ROGER, Levee, Ky.
BINNIE, WILLIAM, Fallon, Mon.
BRANLAND, VERNER C., Colton, Ore.
BROWN, BENJAMIN HARRISON, Barron, Wis.
CAROLLO, ALCIDE, Lohrville, Wis.
COCHRAN, JOE, Lawton, Okla.
COOK, TOMMIE E., Rayville, La.
CROWLEY, JOHN M., 119 Prague Street, San Francisco, Cal.
DAVIS, READ C., Colusa, Cal.
DETHMAN, LEONARD H., McCabe, Mon.
DIAZ, ROSENDO, Najarna, Texas.
DUNN, ALEXANDER J., Portland, Ore.
EDMONSON, ELTON L., Strawn, Texas.
ERRAS, FLORENCIO, Alice, Texas.
FEYRER, EDWARD C., Wiemar, Texas.
FISH, DALE M., Wheaton, Minn.
FLORES, SIXTON, Alice, Texas.
GARZA, GUADALUPE, Rio Grande, Texas.
GEHRING, GREGG, 109½ South Main Street, Findlay, Ohio.
GEYER, WILLIAM O., (appears as Deyer on passenger list,) Blackstone, Va.
GORMAN, VINCENT A., East Weymouth, Mass.
GRAHAMER, EDWARD C., Scranton, Penn.
HUDGEONS, THOMAS E., Hallettsville, Texas.
JUNKER, ARTHUR CHRISTIAN, Kenosha, Wis.
KOSSAETH, FRANK, San Antonio, Texas.
LATHAM, MAT, Stafford, Va.
McVEY, CHARLES P. H., San Francisco.
MARLIN, JOSEPH, Checotah, Okla.
MARSH, DUDLEY H., Portland, Conn.
MOCKER, LAMBERT H., Nashville, Tenn.
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NINEHEART, RICHARD A., Columbus, Ohio.
OLMSTED, BENJAMIN G., Tenino, Wash.
OWENS, BEN V., Canadian, Texas.
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PELLEY, CLYDE C., Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
PEREZ, JUAN A., Boerne, Texas.
PERRY, GEORGE C., Lone Wolf, Okla.
POTILLO, JAMES R., Huntington, Ark.
POWELL, ONDIS, Sasakwa, Okla.
RADER, CARL C., Johnstown, Penn.
RAMOS, LUCIO, San Antonio, Texas.
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SCHULZE, RICHARD, Boerne, Texas.
SHARPE, FRANK, Milwaukee, Wis.
SMITH, ELLIS M., Magnolia, Ark.
SMITH, HARRY E., Baltimore, Md.
SMITH, WILLIAM G., Festus, Mo.
SPENCER, WILLIAM B., New London, Wis.
STRAACH, ARTHUR, Miles, Texas.
TULLINGTON, BERNARD L., Phoebus, Va.
WAYNE, CHARLES L., Fort Jones, Cal.
WEISENBERGER, EARL ODEARL, Jim Falls, Wis.
WHITE, PATRICK H., Dallas, Texas.
YBARRA, JOSE, Laredo, Texas.
WILLIAMS, PAUL A., Pueblo, Col.

SOCIALISTS ANGER LOYAL ALDERMEN

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bring ruin to us. Their seeds of poison shall not be scattered here. The rope shall intervene."

"There are two classes of citizens in this country," Alderman Collins said, "Americans who are willing to back up the President of the United States in this war and those who are traitors. We have to take a stand that we are Americans, and those who are not with us are against us, and should be dealt with accordingly."

Alderman Quinn was the next to be recognized by Vice Chairman Moran, who was presiding in the absence of President Alfred E. Smith.

"Men who utter the sentiments that we have just heard," he said, "are traitors to the country, and I think we have sufficient cause to remove them from this board, every one of them. They are the Bolsheviki in this country, and there is no place in the country for them."

Alderman Lee demanded at this point to be allowed to answer what he termed the "assaults" that had been made upon him. There was a storm of objections, but the Vice Chairman ruled that the Alderman had a right to be heard. Mr. Lee said it was not the first time he had been threatened with physical violence by Alderman Kenneally.

"It was only a week ago last Thursday, in this chamber, that I was threatened," he said.

Alderman Kenneally jumped to his feet and pointing to the Stars and Stripes draped above the presiding officer's desk shouted:

"I'll take that flag into the side room and he'll kiss it or he'll go out of the window."

The gavel of the Vice Chairman stopped a demonstration that had begun all over the room, and Alderman Squiers then moved that every word said by Alderman Lee should be taken down by the stenographer. It was carried. Continuing, Mr. Lee said he was sorry that every word said by his opponents had not been put on the record.

"If you so much as differ with the majority," he went on, "the answer is that we will be hanged or expelled from the board. We were elected to speak the minds of our constituents and we intend to do so. I hurl back the epithet of traitor to those who mouthed it. There is no man in the United States who stands for the traditions of Lincoln more than I, or of President Wilson's Americanism or the right of every man to kick and to kick hard."

The Alderman then said that his party was opposed to the resolution because it was a form of coercion to compel city employes to buy war stamps and to compel people who were already overtaxed to pay another tax. He started to say again that the poor man was compelled to pay for the war, but was quickly called to order by Alderman Quinn, who said:

"If the Alderman has read the income tax law he would know that this is a rich man's war, and that the rich are paying for it. The statement just made shows just how much he knows of what he is talking about."

May Demand Their Expulsion.

Alderman Ferrand of Brooklyn said he had a personal reason in defending the war stamp resolution.

"The Government has taken my three boys and they are helping to defend you and yours," said the Brooklyn Alderman, pointing and talking directly to the Socialists, "and if ever there was a traitorous utterance it has been made here today. I think the men in that back row ought to stand up in defense of the flag."

Frank L. Dowling, Borough President of Manhattan, declared that there was no compulsion to be placed upon any person in the city's employ to purchase war stamps. He said there would be a meeting of the borough employes in his office next Thursday and that Mr. Wiley would address them and explain just what the war stamps meant.

"If the Board of Aldermen is willing to go out and do its part to win this war, I can see no objection to its doing so," said President Dowling. "The board responded to the Liberty Loan and it will respond to this appeal."

President Dowling put an end to the uproar by asking that a rising vote be taken. Every Alderman in the chamber, with the exception of the seven Socialists, arose. Some one suggested that the Socialists be put on record individually and a roll call was demanded. When Clerk Scully had finished calling the roll fifty Aldermen had voted in the affirmative and the seven Socialists in the negative. It was said after the meeting that the question of preferring charges of disloyalty against Alderman Lee and his fellow Socialists as well as the question of demanding their expulsion from the board would be taken up today.

HAYS HARD AT WORK TO REUNITE PARTY

Talks Patriotism at Reception That Brings Old Guard and Progressives Together.

PLEDGES ALL TO THE WAR

Predicts Republican Victory This Fall—Sees Roosevelt and Hughes—To Meet Taft This Week.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Will H. Hays of Indiana, Chairman of the Republican National Committee, defined the policies that must be pursued by the party to win public approval before members of Congress at a reception at the Willard Hotel tonight, given to him by the Republican Congressional Committee. Those in attendance represented all factions, and for the first time in six years the two wings met in apparent harmony. Men who left the party in 1912 and had not participated in Republican councils since were present.

All the speakers, Senator Harding of Ohio, Representative Winslow of Massachusetts, and Representative Will Woods of Indiana, emphasized the note that Republican success is certain in November with a united party and a platform which stands for performance and not destruction. Mr. Hays declared that it was his mission to hold all elements of the party together, and he said he intended to consult the leading Progressives as well as the Old Guard leaders while here.

"I am sure you agree with me that with malice toward none and with friendship for all, the reunited Republican Party faces the future with triumphant expectancy," said Mr. Hays, as he looked over the front rows and saw Old Guards seated next to Progressives, with a goodly number of women, including Miss Jeannette Rankin, member of Congress from Montana, in the audience. This sentiment was roundly applauded.

"Political parties are not instruments for individuals to use for their own personal aggrandizement. Political parties are the means by which thinking men promulgate and practice principles for the government of their own country, for the control of the influences surrounding the place they call home. Any man who thinks otherwise is not aware of the big privileges of his citizenship.

"Any man who expects or wants otherwise is not in tune with the forces that control his present, and the political party that will command the confidence that brings support is the party that understands this and remembers it."

Mr. Hays urged young men to take part in politics, declaring that the participation of men of young, sturdy ideals was the safety of the country.

"The purpose of a political organization is to elect the candidates and not to control the party's nominations," he added. "Above all things do I recognize that the province of the position I occupy is to aid in laying plans which may result in the use of every honest means to elect the candidates and not in any sense to control the nominations. I recognize no factions. I look upon the chairmanship as an opportunity for large work for the Republican Party, its principles and its candidates and the consequent good of the country.

"Now, a word as to the war. I have done nothing else for the past ten months and have thought of nothing else. There is nothing, of course, which I can add to your interest and feeling in this matter. I know that we all agree that the winning of the war and the preparations for the reconstruction which is to follow are our only real business. On the questions of the war there is but one side. On that side, supporting the country's cause, shall stand every political party and every member of every political party entitled to any consideration. The loyalty of the Republican Party always has been, and always will be, measured only by the possibilities.

"I believe that to win the war abroad there must be absolute unity at home. There must be that unity which shows to the world that in this country now there is but one purpose to which all others are subordinated, and that is to win the war and to prepare in a sane manner for the country's future. I do not mean that searching, sympathetic suggestions and constructive criticisms are not desirable. They are. I think they are necessary."

Mr. Hays will hold conferences with the leaders of the Republican Party and make arrangements to co-operate with the Republican Congressional Campaign Committee before he leaves Washington.

Socialist Invites Hillquit to Raise a "Red Army"

Dr. Benjamin Sapphir, an east side Socialist, has written to Morris Hillquit urging him to organize a Red Army "to help the Russian people and the German people" and, incidentally, America. He writes:

"I propose to you that you issue a call to all Socialists of the country of the ages from 31 to 50, to volunteer their services to the American Army under the red banner and form one great army of freedom to fight against all that is bad and vicious that Kaiserism wants to fasten upon the world. I am sure that tens of thousands of honest and loyal Socialists will join this army of freedom. The Russians who have thrown their rifles away and run away from the battlefield will hear of these American Red regiments that are being formed against Kaiserism, and it will give them renewed courage and enthusiasm to take up arms again."

When Kaiserism, Junkerism, and militarism are destroyed, the writer says, "we, as Socialists, will be in a position to demand at the peace negotiations that the land shall belong to those who till it, and that the factories shall be operated for use and not for commerce."

PLAN WAR SAVING SOCIETIES

Women's Committee Discuss Project to Enlist 25,000 Workers.

The Women's Committee of the War Savings Committee met last night at the headquarters of the Woman Suffrage Party, 3 East Thirty-eighth Street, to discuss plans for organizing War Saving Societies. The committee is made up of Chairmen of the Twenty-third District and Election District Captains who will work under them. Seven hundred and eighty Captains will be required for the proposed campaign, and those of the suffrage party who are unable to serve will provide substitutes. Mrs. William Henry Hays, Vice Chairman of the War Savings Committee of Manhattan, presided.

According to the plan of the committee, a total of 25,000 workers will be enlisted in the five boroughs. These will organize societies or will work in conjunction with other patriotic societies in interesting women in the various districts in saving money and food, and particularly in investing a certain amount in the war saving stamps. A little later a uniform plan of work for all the boroughs will be decided upon by the committee.

HAYS HAS CHAT WITH COLONEL AND HUGHES

Republican National Chairman Says He Is Pleased with Evidences of Harmony.

After conferring with Colonel Roosevelt, Charles E. Hughes and other Republican and Progressive leaders yesterday, Will H. Hays, the new Chairman of the Republican National Committee, went to Washington declaring that he was well pleased with his first attempt to bring about harmony within the Republican organization. The new Chairman will return on Friday and have a conference with William H. Taft at New Haven.

Mr. Hays said that the conference which he held Monday night at the Union League Club with the former Chairmen of the Republican National Committee, and the conferences with Republican leaders yesterday resulted in much that would be of benefit to him in the future guidance of the party's policies. He said there was nothing to be announced officially, other than that the organization would be guided along safe and sane lines, and that the Administration would be backed up by loyal Republicans just as heartily as it was being supported by loyal Democrats.

Chairman Hays spent an hour with Colonel Roosevelt at the Roosevelt Hospital, and a half hour, later in the day, with Charles E. Hughes at the latter's office, 96 Broadway.

"Really," he said, "I cannot say what they said to me personally. It was too agreeable. Chiefly I went to pay my respects to them and to talk about the war and social and economic questions on which we are all agreed. I had two delightful visits. While I shall not be able to see Mr. Taft today, I am arranging an appointment to see him at New Haven later this week. Mr. Taft sent me a most cordial telegram, which read: 'Very sorry that I cannot be in New York today. Hope to see you soon. Best wishes always and the best of luck.'"

When Mr. Hays arrived at Roosevelt Hospital at 9:55 A. M. the Colonel sent for him at once. When he left the hospital, Mr. Hays said:

"Colonel Roosevelt and I conversed on social and economic matters, but most of the time we talked about the war. We had a fine chat, in which the Colonel showed all his old-time enthusiasm. The thing he is most interested in is our winning the fight against Germany.

"I had got the idea that I would find Colonel Roosevelt still a pretty sick man, but to my surprise he hardly seems to have been sick at all. I found him in fine shape—same old Roosevelt, with the same old punch."

When Mr. Hays went to call upon former Governor Hughes the latter greeted him with great cordiality.

"Well, well, my young man, so you're still alive?" said Mr. Hughes. "I'm glad to see you. Are you still working twenty-four hours a day?"

The two discussed the incidents of the last Presidential campaign and talked over what had happened when Mr. Hughes toured Indiana.

"We certainly gave him five of the hardest days of his life in Indiana," said Mr. Hays later, "but he was game and stood right up to it."

Asked what he thought of the new National Chairman, Mr. Hughes declared:

"Chairman Hays is a fine fellow. I was delighted at his election."

Accompanied by James B. Reynolds, Secretary of the National Committee, Mr. Hays left for Washington on the 1 o'clock train. He was asked if his greeting by Colonel Roosevelt satisfied him that there was no sore spot left between branches of the party.

"I refer you to the telegram Colonel Roosevelt sent me," was the reply. "There is no sore spot. We are all one."

"Would the Colonel as a candidate be treated on an exact level and equality, as any other candidate?"

"Absolutely," was the reply.

SAYS AMERICA FAILS IN SHIP PRODUCTION

Labor Member of Parliament Appeals to British Workmen to Redouble Their Energy.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—George Nicoll Barnes, Labor Member of Parliament and member of the War Cabinet, made an urgent appeal in the House of Commons this evening to the shipworkers to put their backs into their work.

The winning of the war, said Mr. Barnes, was dependent on the output of ships, which must be built in larger numbers, still if it was desired to come satisfactorily through the next few months.

The present situation, the speaker declared, was unsatisfactory. The January output was less than half what it had been expected it would be, and the February building was no better, he said, while the United States was failing Great Britain as far as shipbuilding was concerned.

TWO STUDENT FLIERS KILLED IN COLLISION

W. C. Story of Freeport, L. I., Is Eighth Recent Victim at Tennessee Field.

Special to The New York Times.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 26.—William J. Weissinger of Beulah, Miss., and William C. Story of Freeport, L. I., were killed this afternoon at Park Field when their airplanes collided at an altitude of 1,000 feet. Weissinger died on the way to the field hospital and Story succumbed there at 6:20 o'clock. They were badly crushed.

Both men were student aviators, members of the second solo, or advanced, flying classes. They were flying out of the same field and were going in the same direction when the collision occurred, Weissinger going east and Story turning from east to the south to make a glide to landing. Story fell out of his machine when it was falling and was later caught beneath the wreckage.

Two more hours in the air and Weissinger would have been graduated and received his commission. He came to the local school from the Princton University ground school. Story came here from New York about middle of November. He, too, was about ready for service in France.

Weissinger was a former newspaper man. He was reporter for The Memphis Commercial-Appeal, and later worked in Chicago and New York. Prior to his entering the army he was White House correspondent for the International News Service. He was graduated from the Officers' Training Camp at Fort Myer and was assigned to the cavalry as First Lieutenant. He then requested to be transferred to the aviation service. When transferred he resigned his commission.

Story was considered an unusually promising cadet. Officers at Park Field said he was of ideal temperament and would have made a fine air fighter.

The deaths today make a total of eight that have been caused by collisions at Park Field in the last three weeks.

FREEPORT, N. Y., Feb. 26.—William C. Story, who was injured in an airplane accident at Park Field, near Memphis, late today, is the son of Frederick F. Story, a cotton broker who retired recently from the New York Cotton Exchange. Young Story was a member of his father's firm from his graduation from Princeton University in 1913 until his enlistment in the Aviation Corps last October.

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CONGRESSMEN TO SEE TEST

Baker Announces That Three Factories Are Turning Out Light Type of Machine Rifle.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—In the presence of Secretary Baker, General Wheeler, the Chief of Ordnance, and members of Congress and of the press, there will be a public demonstration of the light type of Browning machine gun at the Congress Heights range, near Washington, at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The light guns are now being turned in three factories. More than 100 already have been delivered, and the output will increase rapidly from now on. It also was announced today that production of the Colt-Browning machine gun, the heavy type, soon would be in progress on a quantity basis.

The firing at tomorrow's demonstration will be done by twenty enlisted men, ten of whom will be armed with the Browning guns, the other ten acting as ammunition carriers. Firing will be from the prone position, from the standing position, and from the hip without aim.

The gunners will be arranged in line of skirmishers prone, firing at will until one magazine is exhausted. They will reload, and on command will fire in short bursts of automatic fire until the magazines are exhausted. They will then reload, and on command will rise and advance five paces and open rapid automatic fire from the hip, emptying the magazines.

One soldier will then illustrate the firing of the gun from the shoulder and hip, both automatically and semi-automatically. The ten gunners will fire six magazines each rapid fire from the hip. The guns will then be taken apart and explained.

Makers Ahead of Schedule.

"The Ordnance Department," said Secretary Baker tonight, "is advised of the completion of more than 100 of these guns, and that deliveries will continue regularly and in increasing volume as shop machines are multiplied and manufacturing personnel developed. It is estimated that peak production will be reached in June, when several thousand guns of this type will be turned out each week for the army.

"In this accomplishment the manufacturers are ahead of their contract promises to the Ordnance Department. This is gratifying, as it has been the experience of the Government heretofore that machine-gun production has rarely met predeterminel schedules, owing to the tendency to make contract promises upon the most favorable estimates of the manufacturing situation, which in the case of new machine-gun production is practically intricate. It is a matter of satisfaction that there has been no delay in bringing the quantity manufacture of the Browning rifle to a point which promises adequate supplies for the trench warfare of the expeditionary force, and ample opportunity to give the necessary training in the use of these guns to the mobilized army.

"The board which tested the Browning rifle last May, prior to its adoption by the War Department, called particular attention to the manufacturing problems involved and one of its recommendations in favor of the rifle was that the inventor had approached the subject with a full knowledge and comprehensive program to meet the problems of manufacture.

"The Browning machine rifle is now in process of manufacture in three gun factories.

"Production of the Colt-Browning machine gun, model of 1918, water-cooled, familiarly called the 'Browning heavy machine gun,' and intended more as a defensive weapon, will begin within a few weeks in four factories, on a quantity basis by machine processes. The Ordnance Department is in receipt of assurances that manufacture of this type will progress on terms favorably comparing with the production now in view for the Browning rifle.

"These two types of machine guns, the inventions of John M. Browning, whose achievements as a firearms designer have given him world-renown, supplement each other in their respective fields. The official tests that have been made by the Ordnance Department of the Browning guns, taken in connection with general machine gun equipment and plans, assure to the United States Army supremacy in this field of equipment."

To Display Liberty Motor.

The first public flight of an airplane equipped with the Liberty motor will be made here probably next week, Representative Hull of Iowa said today in announcing that arrangements had been completed to give Congressmen an opportunity to see the new engine in action.

Representative Hull, who made a flight yesterday with Colonel Lee of the British Royal Flying Corps, also announced that an American Army aviator would be chosen by the War Department to pilot the American machine, and Congressmen who have been watching the recent flights of Colonel Lee will have a chance to compare the British Rolls-Royce motor with the American product. Firms manufacturing the Liberty motor, he said, had promised an assembled engine here next week.

The public tests probably will include distance and speed flights and military air manoeuvres will be made in conjunction with the flights being conducted by Colonel Lee.

ADVOCATE SUPPORT OF OVERMAN BILL

Co-ordination Powers for President Recommended by Directors to 1,000 Business Bodies.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. — Indorsement of the Overman bill, giving the President full powers to centralize control in any way he sees fit, was recommended today by the Board of Directors of the United States Chamber of Commerce to the more than 1,000 Chambers of Commerce and other industrial organizations comprising its membership. This is in line with the chamber's action since last September, when it called for central control and responsibility for procuring war material and supplies.

"The development of an organization to bring about central control and responsibility for procuring war material and supplies has now reached a point where further progress cannot be had without action of Congress," said Waddill Catchings, Chairman of the War Committee of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States. "However excellent the numerous plans of reorganization in the several departments are, they can be put into effect only when Congress grants the power.

"No matter whether one might have been disposed to urge the passage of the bill for a Ministry of Munitions and a War Cabinet, this hardly seems the direction for effective effort at this time," he continued. "Those in charge of the administrative machinery of the Government are strongly opposing the passage of these measures. The Administration's proposal that the existing machinery should be changed to bring about central control and responsibility offers an opportunity for progress which all should support."

What is declared to be the falseness of the impression that the Overman bill grants additional powers is emphasized in the recommendation sent by the chamber to its members. The bill simply gives the President power to redistribute the functions of the executive agencies, to transfer duties, powers, records, and personnel from one executive agency to another and to employ such additional agencies as he may deem necessary.

Erroneous, too, is declared to be the inference that the bill gives the Executive power to divert public moneys from the purpose for which they were appropriated and to use these moneys for other purposes. The bill specifically provides that any moneys appropriated shall be available for the purpose for which it was appropriated under the direction of such agency as the President may direct. It is pointed out that the obvious intent of the bill is solely to give the President power to create administrative machinery designed to meet the problems of the war.

If this act is passed the President can consolidate the buying from the numerous scattered departments and bureaus to such extent as he may find necessary, and place this buying under the control of some central agency. Likewise, he could invest in some central agency the power to reach decisions and to determine the great questions which affect more than one department.

In similar manner, the President will have the power to centralize and remove duplication of effort where conflicting activities have developed in connection with the war. For example, he could form a central secret service for the United States during the war by transferring to one central agency the Secret Service activities which are now scattered among many departments.

UPHOLDS WILSON'S POWER.

Danger Alone in Not Limiting Its Period, Says Watson.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Feb. 26.—Declaring there was no cause for alarm in conferring vast powers upon President Wilson for war purposes, Senator James E. Watson, Republican, of Indiana, in an address before the Manufacturers' Association here tonight, said the only danger would be in failing to limit this power to the period of the war.

"Many are alarmed lest we drift into autocracy," said the Senator, "but very much depends upon the President's intention in asking the power and the length of time for which it is bestowed. If we confine the term and operation of this authority to the period of the war there is no just cause for alarm. But if we confer it for periods long after the war then is there grave cause for apprehension.

"This bestowal of power upon the President in wartime and for war purposes is not only not dangerous, but may be, and much of it is, necessary. But to bestow this authority upon him now and expressly provide that it shall continue long after the war is over is precisely the same as if he had sought this great authority long before the war began."

Senator Watson declared that notwithstanding the fears of many the Constitution was still in force. He said the Congress had conferred no additional power upon the President as Commander in Chief of the army and navy. The only additional power which had been conferred, he explained, was that concerned with the industrial life of the nation.

GORGAS HAS DROPPED 1,050 MEDICAL MEN

Surgeon General Reports on Reserve Officers Discharged Since the War Began.

PROCESS STILL GOING ON

All Doctors Not Up to High Mental and Physical Standard Must Go.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Surgeon General Gorgas announced today that during the interval elapsing from the declaration of war up to Feb. 23 he had discharged 1,050 officers of the Medical Reserve Corps. The discharges are classified as follows:

Physical disability	411
Inaptitude for the service	154
To join other branches of service	306
Domestic difficulties	59
Resignation	88
Needed by communities, hospitals, schools, &c.	32
Total	1,050

During the same period there have been 2,265 promotions of medical reserve officers, including some officers promoted more than once.

The discharges are in addition to about 4,000 rejections of applicants, 21,740 having been accepted and recommended to the Adjutant General's office for commissions, and of these 13,687 were on active duty on Feb. 23. The total strength of the Medical Corps on that date is as follows:

Regular Army Medical Corps	768
Medical Reserve Corps	13,687
Medical Corps, National Guard	1,207
Medical Corps, National Army	32
Total	15,694

At the outbreak of the war there were 877 medical officers, 490 regulars, and 387 reserve officers on active duty.

All the physicians and surgeons taken into the Medical Reserve Corps to care for the new armies were chosen by the following plan:

1. All candidates were required to be certified by the American Medical Association as being reputable and in good standing.

2. All candidates were required to be practicing physicians legalized to practice by State laws. They were, therefore, doctors whom any person might have called into his own home when a member of his family was sick.

3. All candidates for the Medical Corps were, prior to their acceptance for service, examined by a board of qualified and especially selected physicians and surgeons. These boards were mostly composed of Medical Reserve Corps officers, who, in some cases, placed too high an estimate on the men they passed upon, hence attention has been given to checking up their work and calling before boards for re-examination all those whose work does not clearly establish their ability to meet the standards set.

During the first six months of war 228 Medical Reserve officers were discharged for all causes. On Nov. 1 the Surgeon General sent a letter to commanding officers of medical units, calling attention to the War Department's provision for the examination of reserve officers as to "capacity, qualifications, conduct, and efficiency." Since Nov. 1 there have been 822 discharges, and discharges are continuing at the rate of fifty a week.

The rate of discharges was again increased by a letter sent by the Surgeon General on Dec. 14 to department and division surgeons and commanding officers of hospitals outlining action to weed out incompentents by (a) psychological examination for mental capacity; (b) transfer of those unsatisfactory in their present work to other duties—to work involving no care of the sick for those who had been found unsatisfactory in that branch; (c) further instruction for those needing it, and (d) elimination from the service of "men who by reason of physical or mental incapacity, viciousness, or laziness cannot be made competent officers."

DRAFT TREATY ACCEPTED.

Lansing Reports That France and Italy Agree to Its Terms.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—France and Italy have accepted in substance the proposed treaty with the United States respecting military service of nationals similar to that signed with Great Britain and Canada. Secretary Lansing sent word to Chairman Flood of the House Foreign Affairs Committee today that he had received that word in cablegrams from the American Ambassadors at Paris and Rome.

The so-called Alien Slacker bill, which would compel military service of subjects of co-belligerent countries in the United States, seems certain to come up for action in the House tomorrow, notwithstanding Administration opposition. Before the signature of the British and Canadian treaties, action on the bill was deferred upon request of the State Department.

Housing Bill Goes to President.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Final action was taken today on the bill authorising expenditure of $50,000,000 by the Shipping Board for housing facilities at shipbuilding yards when the Senate adopted the conference report approved last week by the House. The measure now goes to President Wilson.

WILLFUL SENATORS BLAMED FOR WAR

Defeat of Armed Ship Bill Made Germany Think Us Cowards, Says Swanson.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Senators who participated in the filibuster which resulted in the defeat of the Armed Ship bill last session were assailed by Senator Swanson of Virginia, an Administration leader, in a speech today as having destroyed "the last chance for peace" between the United States and Germany. By this action Germany was convinced, he said, that we did not have the courage to defend our rights and that no injury she could inflict would result in warfare.

"The defeat of this measure in the American Congress convinced Germany that we did not have the will and courage to defend our rights and that we would tamely submit to any indignity and outrage she might perpetrate upon us. Germany reasoned that if the American Congress, commissioned by the people to be the defenders of their rights, was too cowardly to arm their own merchant ships to resist the lawless attacks of submarines that no injustice, no injury she could inflict would compel us to warfare.

"This small group of willful Senators that defeated the measure for armed neutrality were responsible for the creation of this belief in Germany and deserve severe condemnation for misrepresenting and thwarting at this critical time the will of the American people. These few Senators destroyed the last chance for peace. Convinced by the defeat of the measure for armed neutrality that the United States was too craven to fight, hardly had Congress adjourned before Germany commenced the enforcement of this lawless and impudent decree."

PAVE WAY FOR 1920 CENSUS

Force of Nearly 100,000 to be Employed—Strict Attention to Foreigners.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—A bill providing for the 1920 census will be reported in a few days by the House Census Committee. The organization for the collection of the statistics will be larger than ever. Supervisors and enumerators of population and agriculture probably will number between 85,000 and 90,000, and for manufacturers, mines, and quarries, under separate supervision, there will be 1,500 employes in the field, with from 1,000 to 5,000 clerks and other employes in the Census Office.

The bill is expected to follow recommendations of a special committee appointed by the Director of the Census, which suggested that the Philippines, not included in the thirteenth census, should not be included in the fourteenth, and that a census of the Virgin Islands is now in progress and another one is unnecessary in 1920. In Guam, Samoa, and the Panama Canal Zone special censuses can readily be taken at small cost if Congress orders it, the committee reported. The committee also recommended that the new census extend to show the nationality or mother tongue of all persons in this country born in foreign countries and nationality or foreign tongue of foreign-born parents.

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President Smith Discloses Heavy Political Expenditures Made by Company Prior to 1915.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. — Another chapter was added today to the history of the Interstate Commerce Commission's investigation into past political and financial practices of the Louisville & Nashville Railway by the public declaration of Milton H. Smith, President of the road, that his company had made a number of expenditures for political purposes in Southern States before 1915.

In a deposition made public by the Interstate Commerce Commission Mr. Smith answered categorically nine questions relating to political expenditures, to which he had refused replies while under examination by Joseph W. Folk, former chief counsel of the commission, during the public inquiry in May, 1916. Thus he complied with the order of the Supreme Court last November, holding that the commission had authority to inquire into practically all expenditures of a railway company.

Mr. Smith referred specifically in his deposition, given Feb. 4 at Louisville, to four items of expense: Thirty thousand dollars spent in 1914 in Alabama for political campaign purposes and charged to operating expenses, $34,800 spent in Alabama through the Johnson-Dallas Advertising Agency in a campaign against rate reduction as advocated by former Governor Comer of that State, $20,715 spent in 1910 for maintenance of political agents whose identity and precise work was not disclosed, and $15,000 expended in 1907 "in aiding a newspaper which was advocating certain views upon public questions in which the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company concurred." The name of the paper was not mentioned.

Mr. Smith declared these practices were "customary and conventional with corporations in the past," but added that they "are contrary to the public opinion of today, and have been discontinued by our company." He promised that there would be no more cause for complaint of such contributions.

The final word in the inquiry will not be written for a month or more, when the Interstate Commerce Commission will file with Congress a full report of its investigation, which was started more than four years ago at the request of Congress. Former Senator Luke Lea of Tennessee offered the resolution, calling for the inquiry and took an active part in the work of searching out the railway's financial and political history.

The inquiry will not be carried further, it was said today, owing to the changed status of the Louisville & Nashville and other railroads under Government operation, and to the conviction that the practice of contributions to political campaign funds and otherwise influencing executive, legislative, and judicial action had been abandoned.

The report of the Interstate Commerce Commission to Congress is expected to review the testimony brought out in the public inquiry indicating that the Louisville & Nashville for many years preceding 1915 played a part in influencing elections in Southern States by contributing to campaign funds and distributing passes in wholesale quantities to legislators, Judges, and other public officials. In Tennessee alone, the inquiry showed, many legislators received $8,000 worth of railway passes in a single year.

The nature of expenditures made for these purposes always was carefully concealed in the railroad's records. They were charged to operating expenses, and in some cases were covered by lump-sum vouchers in favor of certain banks. In two cases cited in Mr. Smith's deposition vouchers for $20,715 and $15,000 were drawn in favor of the Columbia Trust Company and the National Bank of Commerce respectively, both of Louisville, one for payments to political agents and the other for aid of the newspaper.

A feature of the testimony was the disclosure that officials of the Louisville & Nashville and the Southern Railway a number of years ago entered into an understanding to divide the South between the two roads, neither extending lines or buying roads in the territory of the other. This was the so-called Pizarro-Cortez agreement, Mr. Smith in his testimony admitting that he was considered Pizarro, while Samuel Spencer, former President of the Southern, represented Cortez. The two met at Kenesaw Mountain, Ga., and, like the discoverers of old, agreed to divide the continent between them, according to testimony at the inquiry.

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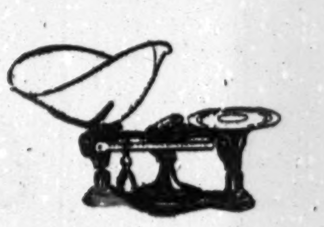

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B. B. ODELL, Ice Comptroller.

GERMAN PRIZE CREW DRIVES SHIP ASHORE

22 Prisoners, Including Two Americans, Are Taken Off Spanish Steamer.

WAS CAPTURED BY THE WOLF

And Had Been Following the Raider for Nine Months—Danes Intern German Captain.

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 26.—The Spanish steamship Igotz-Mendi, with a German prize crew from the Pacific Ocean on board, is ashore near the Skaw lighthouse. Two of the prisoners are Americans.

The prisoners on the Igotz-Mendi were taken from six ships which had been sunk. Several of the prisoners had been aboard the vessel for eight months while she cruised in the Pacific Ocean.

Twenty-two persons, including nine women, two children and two Americans, have been landed by a lifeboat from the Skaw.

The rescued passengers included one Dane, one Swede, one Norwegian, two Finns, two Hindus, one Chinese, one Turk, one Greek, one Chilean, and nine British. Many of them had suffered from inadequate nourishment in the last five weeks.

The Danish authorities have interned the German commander of the Igotz-Mendi. The German prize crew refused to leave the ship.

There had been an epidemic of beriberi and scurvy on board the vessel.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—American and English seamen on board the Spanish steamer Igotz Mendi, says a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Copenhagen, assert that they were captured May 21 last, when the Igotz Mendi was on her way to Australia with coal. About midday a 6,000-ton merchantman, painted black, appeared on the horizon, steaming slowly. Suddenly the steamer detected the Igotz Mendi and made for her at full speed.

One of the sides of the strange steamer was removed, displaying a number of cannon. Several shots were fired at the Igotz Mendi, which was forced to stop. It then was discovered that the strange steamer was the German auxiliary cruiser Wolf. The Wolf hoisted a German flag and a prize crew was sent aboard the Igotz Mendi.

The next victim was the British steamer Matunga, which had a valuable cargo. The British sailors were taken aboard the Wolf and were well treated.

All three ships then proceeded to desert the vicinity of the Dutch Islands, where part of the Matunga's cargo was stored. The Wolf took aboard the most valuable part of this cargo. The Matunga was then sunk by a bomb.

A few days later the American bark Beluga was sunk. Her crew was saved.

The next victim was the Japanese passenger steamer Hitachi Maru, which was crowded with Asiatics. The Wolf being overcrowded, a number of prisoners were transferred to the Igotz Mendi. A prize crew was placed on board the Hitachi Maru with orders to capture the coal of the steamer. This, however, they were unable to accomplish and had to return to the Wolf. Thereupon the Hitachi Maru was sunk.

The Wolf was now near Australia, and the Captain decided to return to Germany. The voyage commenced four months ago. The route taken was along the coast of Africa. A sailing vessel was fired on and sunk. The Wolf afterward proceeded at full speed northward, still followed by the Igotz Mendi.

The plan was to go to the north of Iceland, but the heavy ice prevented this. South of Ireland the two ships parted company, the Igotz Mendi going north and the Wolf south.

The seamen said their treatment by the Germans was good, but that discomfort was caused them by vermin and lack of adequate clothing in the cold Atlantic. When the Japanese, Chinese, and negro sailors landed on Danish soil, there was a great demonstration of joy, the negroes dancing and shouting with delight.

THE WOLF ARRIVES AT KIEL.

Town Bedecked with Flags When the Raider Comes In.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 26.—According to the Kiel correspondent of the Gazette, a copy of which has been received here, the raider Wolf arrived in Kiel Harbor Sunday afternoon and the town was beflagged in honor of the occasion.

The official German communication announcing the arival of the Wolf said merely that she had returned "home." A Berlin dispatch printed in the Dusseldorfer Zeitung, however, said the cruiser had put in at the Austrian harbor of Pola in the Adriatic Sea, having been barred out of the North Sea by the watchfulness of British ships.

MURGUIA NOW AFTER VILLA.

Establishes Headquarters at Torreon for a New Campaign.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 26.—The War Department has announced that General Francisco Murguia, after a conference with President Carranza, went north and, as chief of military operations in the Northern States, established headquarters at Torreon, from which city he will direct a new campaign against Francisco Villa's band of outlaws.

SAYS PACKERS RUN ANTI-LABOR LOBBY

Heney Also Charges Them with Using "Dummies" to Undersell Competitors.

OPPOSED TO 8-HOUR DAY

But Armour Official Admits That Its Adoption Wouldn't Affect Supplies for Armies.

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—Testimony intended to substantiate charges that big Chicago packers eliminated small dealers in poultry and eggs by unfair tactics, that their agents lobbied against certain labor legislation in State Capitols, and that they sought to increase the proportion of negro labor in their plants, was introduced today at the inquiry of the packing house industry before Samuel W. Tator, examiner for the Federal Trade Commission.

Francis J. Heney, counsel for the commission, attempted to show that the packers, by setting up "dummy" firms and by underselling the small concerns, had crowded many from the field.

He named W. F. Priebe, whom he charged with drawing a salary from Swift & Co. while serving with the Federal Food Administration for $1 a year, with being especially active in the campaign against small concerns. He charged that W. F. Priebe & Co. of Chicago, reputed to be the largest "independent" butter and egg concern in the country, which, he said, was owned by Swift & Co., controlled a score of creameries and poultry and butter and egg plants in Missouri, Illinois, and Iowa, operating them under "dummy" names to make them appear as independent firms.

J. E. Hoban of Carrollton, Mo., after giving testimony in regard to the packers' activities, made an appeal for Government protection, as he feared, he said, that his business would be completely wrecked by the packers in retaliation for his testimony.

"I am like a flea biting an elephant," Hoban said, "and I won't have a flea's chance if the packers start after me."

More letters, some of them opposing legislation in various States, were introduced by Mr. Heney today. They ranged from advice to increase the employment of negro labor and a caution to drop union men at Denver without allowing the unionism to appear as the cause, to opposition against the eight-hour law in Illinois, and against a Kansas act intended to regulate and shorten hours of women.

John E. O'Hearn, General Superintendent for Armour & Co., today continued his testimony in the stock yards wage arbitration by giving reasons why he considered the eight-hour day impracticable for stockyards employed during the war. He said the killing plants were constructed on the basis of a ten-hour day, and that other departments were standardized accordingly. To operate on an eight-hour basis, he said, every plant would have to be enlarged, which work would take two years, and cost thousands of dollars.

He admitted on cross-examination that a basic eight-hour day would not reduce the output or interfere with the adequate supply of foodstuffs to the military forces of America and her allies. He asserted, however, that an actual eight-hour day would seriously hamper the efforts to meet the war needs of the Government and the country.

At the opening of the afternoon session, Carl Meyer, of counsel for the packers, announced that Armour & Co. declined to produce all the payrolls of the concern of recent date as previously demanded by Frank P. Walsh, who represented the stockyards employes at the wage arbitration hearing.

"These payrolls are private property and can be of no avail in this hearing," said Attorney Meyer. "We already have furnished all data demanded on wages bearing on this dispute."

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Herbert C. Hoover, Food Administrator, denied today that any of the experts now connected with the Food Administration were in the pay of the packing industry or were in a position to give inside information which might help to defeat the Government's regulation of the industry.

The statement by Mr. Hoover followed charges made before Chairman Davies of the Federal Trade Commission in Chicago yesterday, in which it was alleged that the packing industry knew in advance of the steps which the Administration would take. Mr. Hoover said:

"On behalf of, and out of consideration for, the men referred to in the packers investigation in Chicago yesterday, who are, or have been, employed in the Food Administration, I wish to say that none of the men referred to have had anything whatever to do with the regulation or control of the packing trade. They are employed in other directions and not now paid by the packers.

"From time to time, as in these cases, many men are tried out temporarily in the Food Administration, and, if they are able to give the time and prove to have the devotion, experience and skill necessary for this work they are required to resign from any connection that would involve any conflict of interest before they become permanent employes of the Administration.

"All of the men referred to have rendered valuable service to the Government at considerable sacrifice to themselves, and there is no question whatever as to their loyalty to the public interest."

One of the men mentioned in the dispatches from Chicago was Edward Chambers, who was head of the transportation division of the Food Administration. Mr. Chambers is now an assistant to the Director General of Railroads.

TAFT ACCEPTS POST IN WAR CONFERENCE

Employers Appoint Him to Represent Them in Parley on Capital and Labor.

BRANDEIS MAY BE CHOSEN

Workers to Name Him, According to Report—Adjournment Till a Week from Today.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—With the selections by employers' representatives of William H. Taft as one of two men to serve for the general public, the conference between spokesmen of capital and labor, which met today to frame the basis of a national labor policy, adjourned for a week to permit the workers to name the other member for the public. Mr. Taft wired his acceptance.

The conferees met at the call of the Government to arrive at an agreement governing their relations during the war. Five men were named by the National Industrial Conference Board and five by the American Federation of Labor, and they with the two representatives of the public will compose a board of twelve. Representatives of the workers named William Johnson of Washington, President of the Machinists' Union, to take the place of J. A. Franklin, President of the boilermakers, who was unable to serve on the committee.

The selection of Mr. Taft, officials said, would give prestige to the conference and impress on the public mind its importance. The labor representatives are expected to name a prominent man also, and tonight it was said that Associate Justice Brandeis of the Supreme Court might be asked to serve.

When the conferees meet again a week from tomorrow each side will have ready a program and an outline of the subjects it thinks should be taken up. Aside from the desire to formulate a Government labor policy, the chief aim of the conference is to find a method of doing away with strikes which might hamper war production. It is believed that both sides will agree to some plan of arbitration, probably by district boards, with the right of appeal to a general board or department to be established under the Department of Labor.

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TELLS OF LEGIEN OVERTURE

Last Communication to Gompers in October, Says Oudegeest.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 26.—M. Oudegeest, a Dutch labor leader, tells the Associated Press that no communication from Karl Legien, head of the Federated Trade Unions of Germany, to Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, or from Gompers to Legien, has passed through his hands since October. At that time, M. Oudegeest said, Mr. Gompers did not accept an invitation to a conference at Berne.

M. Oudegeest proposes to consult Herr Legien again on the subject of calling another conference.

Samuel Gompers announced in this city on Sunday that Herr Legien had sent him an invitation to attend or to send representatives of the American Federation to attend a workers' conference to discuss peace. The invitation came from M. Oudegeest, who, Mr. Gompers said, was speaking for Legien. Mr. Gompers replied that no American workers' delegation would meet Germans. He said he had received the invitation from Legien "very recently."

OBJECTOR PHILIPS IN CAMP.

Not Required to Take the Drill Test Till Uniform Arrives.

Special to The New York Times.

CAMP UPTON, N. Y., Feb. 26.—Charles Francis Philips, who was arrested and sent here with the contingent from his local board, is temporarily a private in Company G, 308th Infantry. He will not be required to drill or work until the uniforms are issued to the new men. He has already declared that he is opposed to conscription and to war. When his uniform is delivered if he refuses to wear it and asserts that he has religious scruples against fighting he will be put under guard with the other objectors who are here.

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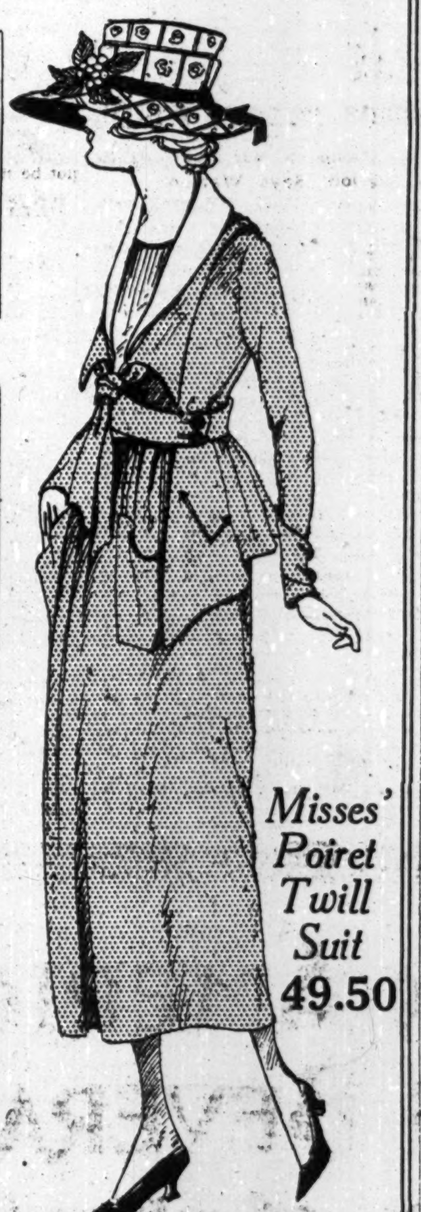

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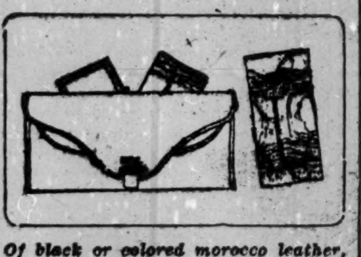

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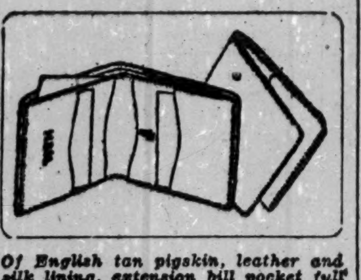

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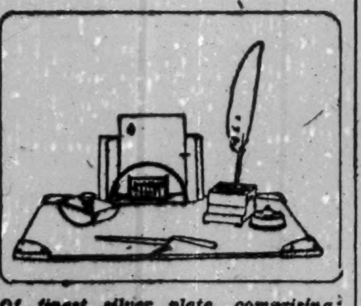

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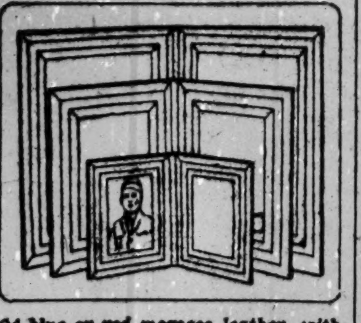

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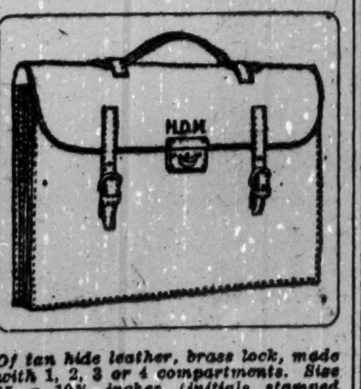

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Van Benschoten Wants Legislature to Adopt a Plan of Constructive Character.

TELLS NEED OF TERMINAL

Fears if Citizens Union Wins Fight There Will Be No Improvement for Several Years.

Chairman William H. Van Benschoten of the Commission on West Side improvement said yesterday that, if the Citizens Union was successful in its fight to defeat the legislation proposed by the commission providing for a comprehensive terminal plan on the west side, there would be no improvement whatever for many years, and that the city would suffer greatly in consequence.

Mr. Van Benschoten asserted that every nation in the world was even now preparing for the great commercial conflict which would follow after the war, that plans for the most extensive harbor improvements were being made, and that only this city, through lack of proper business methods, was letting slip the opportunity to take its rightful place in the van of "the greatest commercial warfare the world has ever seen." He declared that the action of the Citizens Union, through its Legislative Committee, was taking a position which could only mean a continuance of the failure to accomplish any definite results.

Mr. Van Benschoten told of a conference which members of his commission had with Secretary McAdoo in Washington early in January, when the promise was made that the Federal authorities would cooperate in providing proper terminal facilities for the city. Mr. McAdoo, according to Mr. Van Benschoten, said that he would be at leisure to go into the matter in sixty days, but the commission deemed it wiser to set about the creation of a permanent commission, such as that provided for in its pending bill, before any discussion was had with Federal officials on any terminal plan. He expressed dissatisfaction with Mr. Hoguet's suggestion that the Public Service Commission be permitted to proceed on its way toward a plan for solving the terminal problem.

"The important question," continued Mr. Van Benschoten, "is not so much whether the proposed legislation should be passed as whether the Legislature, at this session, should adopt some plan which would give fair promise that something of a constructive character would be done immediately. It is imperative that some commission should be apointed with full and plenary powers, to take up the work either alone or in cooperation with other bodies representing the State and Federal Governments."

WHITMAN LAUDS TEACHERS.

Tells N. E. A. Superintendents They Are Nobly Serving Nation.

Special to The New York Times.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Feb. 26.—The Governor of New York tonight advocated compulsory military training in an address before the convention of the Department of Superintendent of the National Education Association, in order to give "world highwaymen" reason to pause before they again regard a solemn covenant as a "mere scrap of paper."

Governor Whitman said that the educational systems which have controlled the destinies of nations are on trial before the world today and declared that the future must bring forth universal recognition that the State has claim upon the citizen.

"Have no thought that you are not nobly serving your country," said Governor Whitman. "No matter when the final issue shall be declared, the flag in the hands of the teachers will be held proudly aloft. Yours is a never-ending mobilization process. Enemies are always, and never more than now, intrenched against you. You must conduct the manoeuvres at home in the fight against illiteracy, race prejudice, crime, avarice, sordid selfishness and treason. Peace for us at the price of overwhelming victory is now the only means for the preservation of civilization."

Governor Whitman urged that schools and colleges be kept open to not only train the rising generation how to best fight for peace but also to train the citizenry of the future how best to preserve peace.

Governor Edge of New Jersey, who welcomed the delegates, declared that there never has been a time in the history of the country when a meeting of the educators to take council of each other and to make recommendations of the upbuilding of the educational system is more vitally important to the cause of education and to the nation itself.

Dr. Thomas D. Wood of Columbia University, addressing the National Council of Education today, said that the War Saving Campaign was of great permanent value to the individual as it stamped out vices and taught industry, sobriety and high ideals. He urged that expensive gowns be not worn at commencements.

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Paris Sends Wonderful Messages

Gimbels see Paris "as in a looking glass," for the Gimbel Paris Office has endured all of the wartime exigencies; and is as vital today as the day it opened, under the aggressive management of Mr. Louis Weber.

On the Third Floor you will find the Hats, Suits, Blouses and other apparel pictured below in sketch "as in a looking glass."

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When international difficulties arose, one by one, American Concerns closed their Paris offices until Gimbels was the only one remaining.

It took Moral Courage to stand alone in Paris. But Gimbels had the Confidence born of a splendid supporting clientele of American patrons, and therefore had the moral courage to keep the Paris office open and working just as if the world was normal.

Not only the Paris office, but all other Gimbel international offices, are in existence and send merchandise as often as ships can bring it.

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It is only just, also, to speak of the Gimbel Millinery Buyer as being the one American Buyer, so far as is known, that has never missed "a Season" in Paris.

It is only just to speak of the Gimbel Silk Buyer as never having missed "a Season" in the European Silk Market, since the international upheaval.

It is only just to say that every Gimbel Buyer that had gone to Europe before troubles began *kept right on going just to bring you the newest, freshest and loveliest merchandise produced.*

And there is "a world" of new, beautiful things being brought out in France, and we are receiving this merchandise as fast as it is released from the Customs House.

You must watch the papers carefully for announcements, for promptly you will be informed of the time you are invited to see Paris Merchandise as Gimbels show it.

Tailored suits come back, with all their old time power of conferring chic upon their wearers.

They bring to you all of the coquettish touches possessed by dresses, and whether you choose a pony coat, an Eton jacket, a modified Russian blouse, or a simple coat, once called "the Curate," you'll get the Modish Suit that you desire.

Tailored Suits are more accommodating than they used to be, for they have been much punished by the popularity enjoyed by that simple, youthful one-piece garment called a dress, a frock, or "a slip-on."

But all of that is changed now. **The youthful dress survives, but it divides attention for the moment with the tailored suit.** This grows out of the fact that Spring demands a light weight wrap of some sort, and the two or three piece tailored suit steps in with its most engaging smile and fills the void.

Tailored Suits are in all acceptable materials that permit of the slim silhouette that speaks "conservation."

In color, all of the tans that the countryside reveals are popular, but not more so than **that good soldier of fashion—navy blue.** Black braid wreathes itself over tailored suits, too.

So it matters not what sort of a good, responsible tailored suit you want, Gimbels have provided it, starting at little prices.

And that brings us to the most important point. No matter how inexpensive is a Gimbel Suit, it is correctly finished and chosen with taste and discretion. See the Third Floor, and verify what we are telling you.

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Coats and Spring Wraps of all sorts still dance attendance on the **Third Floor.** And they win their right by virtue of their good style, great comfort and little prices.

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Negligees are on the Second Floor, but they are of "The Elect," for womankind loves a *robe d'interieur* better than any other garment Dame Fortune confers upon her.

Mr. Weber's Paris letter by the last ship reads:

The millinery industry in Paris, which applies to all branches of the great Parisian commercial activities, is passing through very serious times, due especially to war conditions.

First, the few buyers who have come over from America during the past two seasons.

Nevertheless, in spite of all difficulties, it is wonderful to see the collections shown to the foreign trade, and it can be said that in each house novelties can be seen.

It is impossible to define any special style which will predominate, but the Directoire, Louis XVI. and 1830 periods have many interpretations.

The simplicity which was the keynote last season is not so noticeable. Hats are, altogether, more showy and dressy; and bright colored trimmings are often used. This applies to flowers, feathers and ornaments, as well as to materials.

Black always predominates, but the color leaders for the coming Spring in millinery are certainly all tones of beige from the lightest tan down to the darkest tete de negre. All shades in brown are good. White is seen, too, the more so than for several seasons back, and this should be an inspiration to the milliners at home. Many models in white are carried out in crepe Georgette and silk organdie.

Quite contrary to what one would think during the fourth year of this terrible war, bright colors are shown by the leading milliners, bright red, bright green; however, blue is less seen than formerly. The new shade of red is more of the "brick" color. Another color which is given great predominance and is sure to be a success is called "ecaille," or tortoise shell, which is an intermediate between the beige and brown.

Flowers are used in many different ways, many copies of the natural flowers, a few models imitating the natural corn flowers, poppies and daisies. All shades of red roses flat, in velvet or other materials are good. In fact, the peculiar ideas of the flowers thus far shown are that they are all flat and many are appliqued on straws, silks and maline. Very few metal flowers are seen on the models.

Many fruits, natural-looking cherries, as well as blue and green, are used by many modistes; also grapes, peaches and plums, novelty wreaths, with natural-looking leaves.

This season may really be called a wing season, as this kind of trimming predominates nearly everywhere. The tailor hats are all trimmed with wings, while the dressy hats show many ostrich feathers.

All these feathers are used in pale pink, beige and brown. They are not used as in former seasons, but more in cluster on the brim of a large capeline or sailor hat.

Birds seem to be in great favor again, and all kinds are to be seen.

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Ornaments are used in the way of jet or colored pins.

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The small shape again leads, but it must be said that many more large hats are seen than in seasons past, some of them even to the extreme. The very high crown of last season has disappeared, but the crown is still soft, but round and tightly fitted to the head. The brims of large hats are mostly soft after the capeline style, while the bell shape is less favored. The classic Gainsborough hat has been interpreted in many ways for dressy purposes and with some success.

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The toques have mostly a little brim in front and not very high, but some are brimless, but never of an exaggerated height.

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It is wonderful the uses that Paris has been able to make of materials. Organdie is used in many ways, crepe Georgette is used a great deal, while satin and taffetas are combined with all kinds of straws. Even plain linen and cotton goods are to be found in some of the models. A new material, a kind of satin with a waxy and shiny effect, is used by some milliners.

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Ribbons are used to some extent, and a few novelties are shown, many of the waxy and shiny effects. Scotch plaids are favored, while dots and other fancy designs in narrow widths are most effective. Many of the models are richly trimmed with flowers and feathers and veiled by brown malines. In many cases these malines are used as a long streamer hiding part of the face—a regular harem veil!

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The straws chiefly used are soft, many of artificial silk, and many of the "paillasson" style, large and thick, and many hats are made in this very heavy or thick straw. Tagal, picot and Leghorn are used for most of the sailors and capelines.

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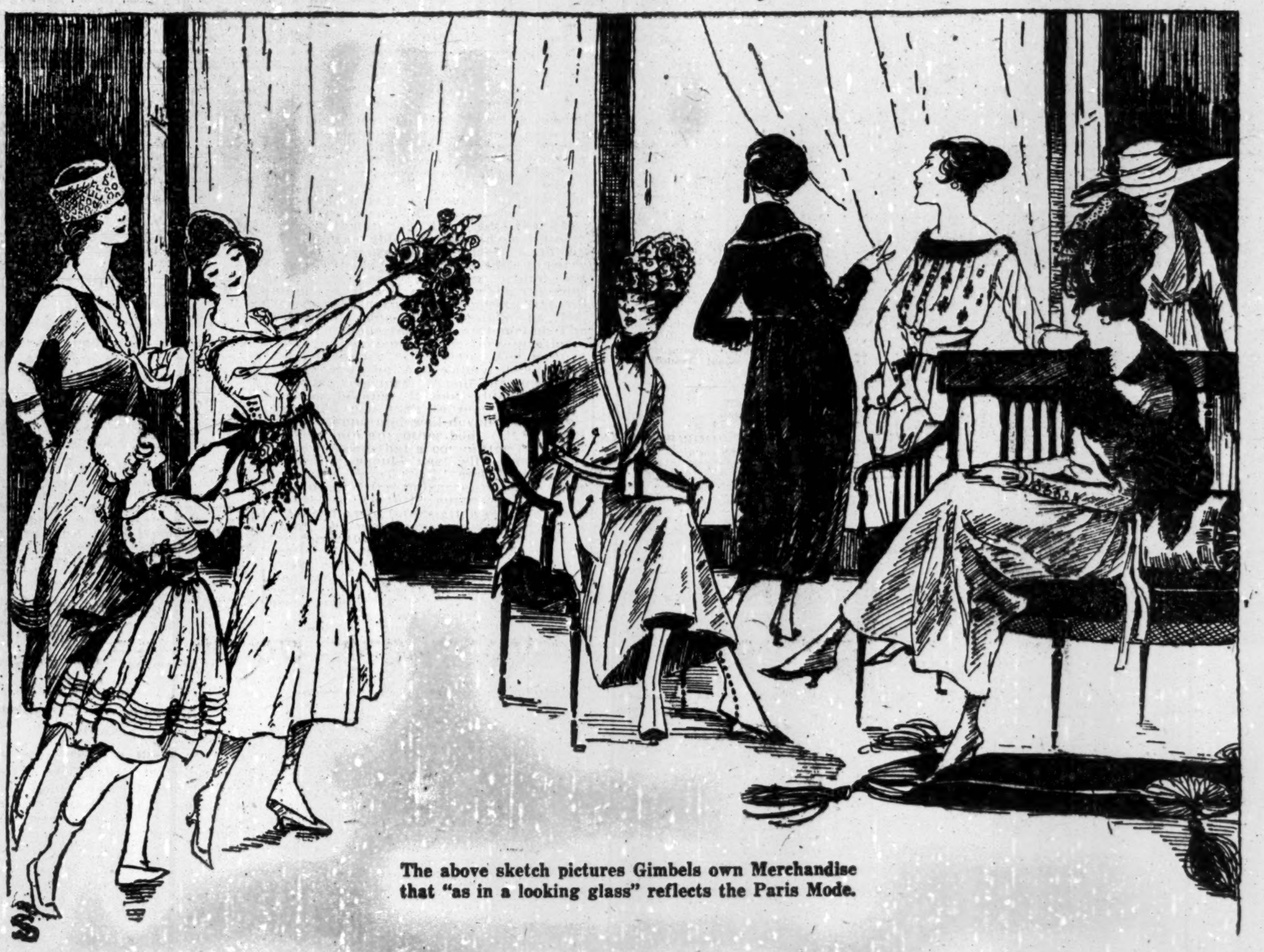
In résumé, after passing through four years of the most terrible war in history, the deft fingers of the Parisian modistes are still able to procure new and beautiful things in millinery each season, and to show to the world that Paris still holds the first place for originality and beauty.

(To be continued.)



The above sketch pictures Gimbels own Merchandise that "as in a looking glass" reflects the Paris Mode.

Here it is!

All a' the way from Paris.

Madame La Mode picks up a little osier basket filled with cherries and promptly puts it on her head.

"What a love of a hat!" declares this wise friend of womankind. And a hat it remains.

This is just one beauty brought from Paris by our buyer, who has spent eight weeks in the French Capital selecting for you.

CHASTE is the one adjective that describes the blouses shown at GIMBELS

The unique initiative of the GIMBEL organization stands out with startling virility, when one looks at the Section of Paris-Made Blouses.

In the Section of Paris-made Blouses all of the personality of France speaks in the exquisite handwork that ranges from pin tucks, through hemstitching to filigree-like embroidery. Lace, as if jealous of a cambric needle's cleverness, alights upon some of these Paris-made Blouses, and stays there, hoping to share in the admiration showered upon the whole exquisite garment.

Some GIMBEL Paris-made Blouses are too proud of the labor conferred upon them by the cambric needles and refuse to be loaded down with lace. So they "play up" to fullest power, hemstitching in geometric patterns, that are delightfully full of little surprises. Your attention is particularly invited to one model of hemstitching which has become a staple for the reason it is simple enough for morning wear, and in material superior enough for any informal afternoon needs. At $3.95 many persons buy this GIMBEL Paris-made Blouse by the half-dozen at a time, for it is so lovely and so practical at the price.

GIMBEL Paris-made Blouses are never more expensive than $29.50.

The variety, therefore, between $3.95 and $29.50 suits every pocketbook and personality.

GIMBELS—Second Floor.

Butterfly Belts poise on the Smartest Sports Skirts.

Checks, Stripes and Tweeds take on a note of gaiety that is the happiest kind of a companion for golf, tennis and other outdoor social functions.

Which will you choose—when you betake yourself to the Country—the gayest, most whimsical colorings and look like the spring flowers that ought to be there; or will you choose serious tones, such as soft greys, tans, or the white that does not know whether it prefers to be cold and crystalline, or warm as cream?

Choose the color most becoming, for you'll get the right thing.

Pockets and Fabrics—but that's another story! Just come to Gimbels and see the new notes and fabrics first, then we'll talk about them later. Prices, too, are less important to you than **the correctness of your Sports and Outdoor Apparel.**

If you buy at Gimbels you'll just know it's correct, for that's the Gimbel business—to have only apparel that is correct as to modishness.

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Excuses for using silk come so easy that it seems like "carrying coals to Newcastle" to **suggest seeing Gimbels New Silks, for the probability is you have seen them already.** But never mind if you have—come again and again.

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Sweaters come and sweaters go, but each new turn of the Sweater Fortune-Wheel brings a new temptress that makes one wonder what the world would do for color, and for comfort, if there were no sweaters. As things go now, that time will never come, for **sweater designers grow ideas over night. Just now the new "cross-bar" has the centre of the stage.**

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MAIL THE COUPON below and learn how easily you can be of the greatest help in this crisis—how you can form a War Savings Society and become its president. Be sure and mail the Coupon NOW!

THIS WAR won't be won by our soldiers alone. It will have to be won by YOU—you and the other hundred million of us who must stay at home.

For the men who are directing the war are all agreed that the one thing that will count most toward VICTORY will be—**how much our people SAVE during the next year.**

The Government needs **YOU** to help get people to save.

Be A Leader!

The United States Government wants all the people in this country to organize themselves into War Savings Societies.

These will be little clubs in which each member agrees to save, and lend a small amount weekly or monthly to the Government (by buying War Savings Stamps costing $4.13 each and 25c Thrift Stamps)—and also agrees to help spread this good work among others. As little as 25c a month may be invested by members.

The Government wants **YOU** to start one of these clubs and lead it as its President. There are 40,000 War Savings Societies in the whole of England—we want that many in New York alone.

It's Easy to Start One

You'll find it easy to start a War Savings Society—and both easy and pleasant to be its head after you have started it. All you have to do is to get a few people to join you in agreeing to omit needless buying and lend the Government what they can save in that way—by buying a certain number of 25c Thrift Stamps or $4.13 War Savings Stamps each week or month.

It's easy to get people to join, because War Savings Stamps pay 4% interest, compounded quarterly, and are backed by the United States Government. Every member of a War Savings Society is helping himself as well as the Government—for his savings earn a fine rate of interest and will come in handy for a rainy day.

Form One Anywhere

You can start a War Savings Society anywhere.

If you work in an office, form a War Savings Society there. If you are a member of a club or a lodge, form one there. If you are a housewife, start a War Savings Society among your neighbors or in your apartment house.

Any one can form a War Savings Society. All you need is to have a little group of people who see each other regularly at work, at play, at meals, or anywhere.

Chartered by Washington

Your society will be officially affiliated with the National War Savings Committee in Washington, and it will receive a charter from the Director of War Savings.

The latest War Savings Society news will be furnished you by bulletins from Headquarters—and at your meetings this news can be taken up and discussed. Interesting programmes can easily be arranged by you with this as a basis, and the committee will try to send you speakers to address the meetings.

What You Can Do

Every time ten of your members buy a Thrift Stamp apiece you will be lending the Government money enough to keep a soldier in food for a week—or to get him a shelter tent—or to give him 50 modern high-speed bullets with which to fight.

The bigger you make your society and the more you persuade your members to save, the greater will be your work for the boys at the Front, who depend on YOU.

But whether the members of your society save 25c a day, 25c a week or 25c a month, each 25c of each member counts. So don't hesitate because you think the savings of your members may be small.

How to Start

The first thing to do is to get the free booklet of instructions which explains the whole plan and shows you exactly what to do and how easy it all is. Mail the coupon to-day—no obligation. The booklet will be mailed to you at once. Mail the coupon—**NOW IS THE TIME TO ACT IF YOU WANT TO BE A LEADER AND HELP WIN THE WAR.**

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TWO WAVES SWEPT 50 OFF FLORIZEL

One Carried 30 Away on Bridge Deck, Another 20 on Smoking Room Roof.

VESSEL POUNDS IN HALF

Bow Alone Now Remains, Impaled on Ledge—Four More Bodies Found, Making Eleven in All.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Feb. 26.—The Red Cross liner Florizel was slowly being battered to pieces today on the rocks of Broad Cove, not far from Cape Race. Meanwhile forty-four of the passengers and crew brought here yesterday by rescue ships told of the horror of their twenty-six-hour vigil before heroic Newfoundland fishermen were able to get them off in small boats.

Search along the coast near where the Florizel struck Sunday morning on a voyage from this port to Halifax and New York was prosecuted with vigor to recover bodies of the ninety-two persons who lost their lives in the disaster. Four more bodies were brought to this city. Two were identified as those of Spanish stokers, and a third as a seaman named Molloy. The identity of the fourth was uncertain. The bodies were picked up last night, making eleven recovered.

Most of the dead were swept from places of safety to which they sought to cling within a few minutes after the Florizel dashed on the rocks. As the vessel's bow rose in the crash those who escaped being trapped below decks and drowned by the torrents of water that poured in through companionways scrambled forward for refuge. Some were washed from the decks and others were either killed by bits of wreckage or so badly injured that they could not reach the higher vantage points.

John S. Munn, Managing Director of Bowring Brothers, Limited, owners of the Florizel, after seeing his little daughter swept overboard, made his way to the bridge deck, where thirty who escaped from the saloon had gathered. For two hours they were safe, but then a wall of water wrenched the deck away. A few moments later twenty others, clinging to the smoking room roof, were similarly engulfed.

Thirty-two of those who escaped were huddled in the wireless room, which withstood the storm, and others maintained a place of refuge in the forecastle by rebuilding a barricade whenever the waves battered in the door. The only one of those caught below decks who was saved was John Kiely of this city, who took refuge in the upper berth of his stateroom.

The Florizel will be a total loss. The agents of the Red Cross Line here received word yesterday that the aft part of the vessel, not supported by the rocky ledge holding the bow, had dropped off into deep water, the vessel having broken in half.

Although the Florizel was the last of the passenger vessels of the line, the service connecting St. John's, Halifax, and New York will not be given up by the line. The agents said negotiations with a large ship brokerage house for another vessel were practically concluded.

The New York State Chamber of Commerce sent a message to the agents of the Red Cross Line at St. John's asking them to "extend to the people of Newfoundland our sincerest sympathy in the terrible calamity which has deprived them of the lives of so many of their citizens and of the service, so essential in these times, of the steamship Florizel."

Chief Engineer J. W. Reedar, who was swept overboard and lost, had been fifteen years with the company, and had practically retired. He built a little house for his family at Halifax. The home was blown away by the recent ammunition ship explosion in that harbor. The disaster made him penniless, and it was to recoup his loss that he again took to the sea. He was making his first trip of his second going to sea when he met death.

Another old employe who was lost was Second Officer J. R. King, who had been with the lime more than fifteen years.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—A dispatch to the State Department from the American Consul at St. John's, N. F., received today, said E. W. Stevenson of New York was the only American citizen on board the Florizel, and he was not reported as saved.

MAKES AUTO OWNER LIABLE.

Decision Increases Responsibility for Acts of Chauffeurs.

Additional liability of automobile owners for damages caused by their cars when used by chauffeurs was established in a decision yesterday by the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in Brooklyn. It has been the general understanding that when a chauffeur injures some one while using the car of his employer for his own convenience the owner is not liable.

The decision holds that the question is one for the jury to decide, and it may take into consideration all the circumstances of the case, and if the testimony of the chauffeur is not, in the mind of the jury, trustworthy it may give a verdict aginst the owner. This decision is against all previous decisions in such cases.

William E. Martin of Flushing was the plaintiff in the case. While riding home on a motorcycle on Aug. 1, 1916, he was run down in Long Island City by an automobile belonging to an electric light company which was maintained for the use of its officers. The chauffeur had obtained permission to use the car in going for his luncheons. As he was returning to the office the accident occurred. Martin obtained a verdict of $1,000 against the company, but this verdict was set aside. Martin appealed, and the Appellate Division has unanimously reinstated the verdict.

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FINDS MALTA FEVER CURE.

Prof. Vincent Announces Discovery of Serum for This Type of Malaria.

PARIS, Feb. 26.—Professor M. A. Vincent of the Academy of Medicine, who became widely known through the discovery of a serum for the treatment of typhoid fever, almost eradicating the disease in the French Army, announces that he has found a curative and preventive vaccine for Malta fever, a type of malaria prevalent in South America, South Africa, and along the Mediterranean.

TO SELL NORDICA'S GEMS.

Part of Diva's Jewels to be Used to Pay Costs of Settling Estate.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 26.—Chancellor Walker ordered this afternoon the sale of the $26,000 worth of jewelry owned by the late Mrs. Lillian Nordica Young, the opera singer. This jewelry is part of the $225,000 worth of jewels left by Mrs. Young and now stored with the Fidelity Trust Company of Newark.

The Chancellor ordered that the proceeds from the sale be used for paying part of the expenses of administering Mrs. Young's estate, which was valued at upward of $250,000. The application for permission to dispose of some of the jewels, together with furs and other personal property left by Mrs. Young, was made by Senator Ernest R. Ackerman, administrator of the estate.

Part of the property consisted of stocks which previously were said to be valueless. Mrs. Young's husband, George W. Young, offered $1,100 for the stock today, but the offer was refused pending a further investigation as to its value.

Senator Ackerman said that an offer of $300 had been received for one of the furs which had been appraised at $1,500, but which the administrator said he had been informed was worth $3,000. In view of these circumstances Chancellor Walker decided that only a part of the jewels should be disposed of at this time.

Mrs. Young left two wills, in the first of which her husband was made a beneficiary, while in the second he was not, the entire estate being left to Mrs. Young's four sisters. The second will was sustained by the Prerogative Court, but the husband has appealed to the Court of Errors, which opens next week.

TRAIN FOR U-BOAT KILLERS.

Crews for Ford Craft to be Drilled Near Where Vessels Are Built.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 26.—It became known here today that River Rouge, Mich., a suburb of Detroit, is to have a small naval training station. Announcement was made locally that hundreds of sailors would be trained there to man the small submarine killers which aer to be built at River Rouge by the Ford Motor Company.

It is expected that the Ford plant which is to turn out anti-submarine boats will be ready by May 10. The sailors at the training station will receive a special course of instructions, so that crews will be available for each boat when it is launched.

WANTS INSURANCE INQUIRY.

Bill in Albany for Investigation of Increase in Fire Protection Rates.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Feb. 26.—A legislative investigation of the recent rise in fire insurance rates in New York City will be undertaken if a concurrent resolution introduced today by Senator Martin of New York is adopted by both houses. The resolution provides for a membership of three Senators and five Assemblymen, an appropriation of $5,000 and instructs the committee to report back to the Legislature "with all convenient speed." The earnings of the companies on the old and new rates basis are specifically included in the scope of the inquiry.

Senator Downing said that he had been prompted to introduce the resolution through complaints that had reached him from real estate men and members of taxpayers' associations since the fire insurance companies proposed to increase their rates 10 per cent. on the ground that the war had brought on added risks.

The resolution was referred to the Senate Finance Committee.

Annuls Marriage of Swann's Aid.

Special to The New York Times.

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., Feb. 26.—Supreme Court Justice J. Addison Young of New Rochelle today granted a decree annulling the marriage of Samuel Markewich, an Assistant District Attorney under District Attorney Swann of New York, on the ground that at the time the marriage ceremony was performed his wife was insane. Mrs. Markewich is now confined in the Central Islip Hospital for the Insane on Long Island. Mr. Markewich testified that he was married on Dec. 20, 1904. The couple have two children. He said that prior to the marriage his wife was excitable and that she had been in various insane institutions in the last four years.

Changes in Peruvian Ministers.

LIMA, Peru, Feb. 26.—Dr. German Arenas, Minister of Home Affairs, has been appointed Minister of Finance in succession to Dr. Baldomero Maldonado, who resigned last month owing to the antagonistic attitude of the Chamber of Deputies to the new budget. Dr. Samuel Sayan Palacios has been appointed Minister of Home Affairs.

Civil Rights Bill is Agreed To.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Complete agreement on the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Rights bill was reached today by Senate and House conferees, who soon will present their report to Congress. No changes were made in any important provisions of the measure.

OFFICE BOY SEIZED; TOLD SHIP ARRIVALS

Circulation of Undesired Marine News Prompts Navy Bureau to Act.

SUPPRESSION NEVER ASKED

Newspaper That Printed Names of Arriving Vessels Shows It Had Not Been Asked Not to Do So.

James N. Lynch, office boy for the Associated Press ship news service and for the Association of Ship News Reporters at the Barge Office, was taken into custody yesterday by an officer of the Navy Intelligence Bureau on a charge of violating navy regulations by making public a list of ships that arrived last Saturday. The action was taken because of the publication in The Journal of Commerce on Monday morning of the arrival of ships at Atlantic and Gulf ports on Saturday. The list published was supplied to the newspapers by the Associated Press, which in turn obtained it from Lynch.

On Saturday the Custom House officials discontinued supplying newspapers with a daily list of the arrival of ships at Atlantic and Gulf ports for the preceding twenty-four hours. On Saturday night the Associated Press, which had been including the Custom House list in its daily reports, sent out this notice to New York newspapers:

> Editors: Until further notice, the Custom House notifies us the list of arrivals of vessels has been discontinued.
> ASSOCIATED PRESS.

The Associated Press, however, on Saturday night sent out a list of the arrivals of ships, supplied by Lynch.

The New York newspapers on Sunday morning did not publish this list. On Monday morning, The Journal of Commerce, which has no Sunday edition, printed the list as sent out by The Associated Press on Saturday night. It published a list of ship arrivals again yesterday morning; this, however, was not obtained from The Associated Press.

Officers of the Navy Intelligence Bureau asked The Journal of Commerce yesterday where it obtained the list of ship arrivals. They were told that the list published on Monday came from The Associated Press. At the office of The Associated Press they were told that the list had been supplied by Lynch.

Lynch was then taken into custody at the Barge Office and sent to the office of the United States District Attorney. There he said that he had been supplying the list to The Associated Press right along. He asserted that he had been told by the President of the Ship News Association on Saturday that the list of arrivals was not to be published, and had told The Associated Press that, but had added that he could get the arrivals from other sources, which he said he did, and supplied them to The Associated Press.

At the office of The Associated Press it was said last night that it was considered that no violation of an official request had been committed in sending out the list on Saturday night. It was stated that The Associated Press had no request from any authority not to send out the list, as it had been doing from the Custom House source, that it had obtained the list from Lynch and, regarding it as reliable, had sent it out to all its New York members, including the German-American papers, which had been receiving the list all along.

At the office of The Journal of Commerce it was said that no request had been received from any authority not to print the list, The Associated Press having merely given notice that the Custom House would not supply the list. The list published yesterday morning, it was said, had been taken from the service of the Maritime Association, but list of arrivals would be published this morning.

The Associated Press sent out no list of arrivals on Monday because, it was said, it had none available. It sent out none last night.

Shortly after this country entered the war newspapers discontinued publication of the arrival and departure of ships at the request of the Washington authorities. Consignees found themselves put to great inconvenience through not knowing of arrivals, and last August the customs officials resumed issuing a daily list, which was supplied to newspapers and news associations. This was discontinued on Saturday without announcement of the reason.

After he had been questioned at length at the office of the United States District Attorney, Lynch was released on his own recognizance to appear for further examination this morning.

TRIBUTES TO DR. LEIPZIGER.

Speakers at Memorial Tell of His "Intense Americanism."

A memorial meeting in honor of the late Dr. Henry M. Leipziger, for many years Supervisor of Lectures in the public schools, was held last night at Temple Emanu-El, Forty-third Street and Fifth Avenue, under the auspices of the Judaeans, an organization of which he had been President for a long time.

Herbert L. Bridgman, speaking on behalf of the Regents of the University of the State of New York, paid a tribute to Dr. Leipziger's "intense Americanism," which manifested itself when Dr. Leipziger caused all the lecture centres to be turned into forums where American doctrines and ideals in the present struggle were preached from the moment this country stopped being neutral and became one of the participants.

"Dr. Leipziger could make no compromise with those whose beliefs did not square with his ideals," said Dr. Stephen S. Wise, speaking in behalf of the Judaeans. Rabbi Wise went on to tell in glowing terms of the inspiration Dr. Leipziger had been in the organization which, the speaker said, "was his one contact with our Jewish organization life."

Joseph L. Buttenweisser related Dr. Leipziger's connection with the Hebrew Technical Institute, Professor Charles P. Fagnani spoke on behalf of the Alumni Association of the College of the City of New York, Dr. George F. Kunz on behalf of the American Scenic and Historic Preservation Society, and Louis Marshall told of the affiliation of Dr. Leipziger with the Congregation Emanu-El and the Educational Alliance. Samson Lachman, acting President of the Judaeans, presided. A 'cello solo was rendered by Miss Helen Scholder, accompanied by Mrs. William V. Goldberg.

DREW $34,000,000 IN YEAR.

E. H. Hatch to Leave Prison Temporarily So as to Explain Checks.

Special to The New York Times.

ORANGE, N. J., Feb. 26.—Checks totaling $34,000,000 were issued by Edwin H. Hatch, former Vice President of the defunct Mutual Trust Company of Orange, against his personal accounts, during the eleven months from Aug. 31, 1915, until July 31, 1916. A large part of the checks, however, were duplications, Hatch having had eighteen bank accounts, and would transfer funds from one bank to another, borrowing from one to cover a loan about to come due in another. This was disclosed in an audit of the former banker's fiances made by Harrison P. Lindabury, trustee in bankruptcy of his estate.

Hatch will be brought to Newark from the State Prison at Trenton next month for the second time, to take the stand before Referee George W. Porter and explain these checks, as well as other things. Hatch carried most of his transactions "under his hat," keeping no books.

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FOR DECEMBER, 1917, AND JANUARY, 1918

	December	January
Number of Working Days	25	26
Daily Railroad Rating of Loading Ability of Mines, in tons	175,250	172,750
Tonnage available full-car supply, per month, in tons	4,381,250	4,491,500
Deduct loss per month on account of causes beyond mines' control, 10%, in tons	438,125	449,150
Tonnage would have been shipped, or 90% full-car supply, in tons	3,943,125	4,042,350
Tonnage Actually Shipped	1,689,410	1,630,760
Total tonnage lost account failure of Railroad Company to furnish cars	2,253,715	2,411,590
Total Tonnage Los December and January Account Failure of Railroad Company to Furnish Cars		4,665,305 tons

ACTUAL WORKING TIME

Tonnage actually loaded equivalent to	9.64 days in December 9.44 days in January
Tonnage lost equivalent to	12.86 days in December 13.96 days in January

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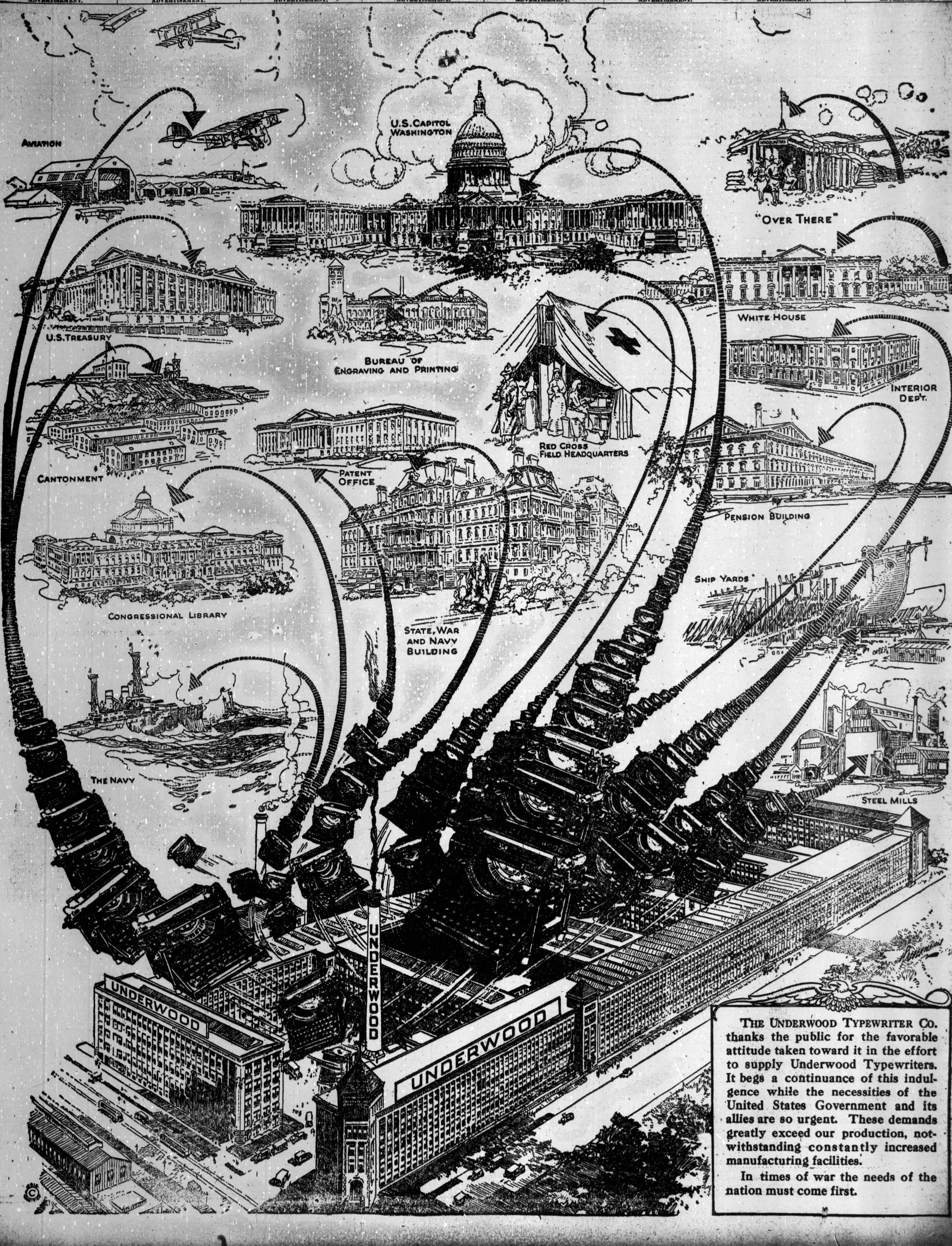
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NO DODGING IN WISCONSIN.

The battle to decide whether Wisconsin is with America or with Germany in this war has begun. Governor Philipp's attempt to avert the fight failed. He proposed to have the Legislature give him power to appoint a Senator to succeed Mr. Husting, promising to appoint a loyalist. This request he made for the purpose of saving Wisconsin from being brought to the test. The Legislature refused to shirk the fight and defeated the Governor's proposal. There will be, in consequence, a special election for Senator in April.

Next there came before the Assembly the question of adopting a resolution of loyalty to the United States. The Republican caucus adopted a resolution described by The Milwaukee Journal as one "which the indifferent "can readily accept and the disloyal "swallow quite easily." When it came before the Assembly an amendment was offered by Assemblyman Donnelly condemning the course of Senator La Follette. It was defeated by a vote of 76 to 15, and the caucus resolution was adopted.

When the matter came before the Senate there was a different outcome. There an amendment was introduced which puts Wisconsin squarely on record. It pledges the State, not to any vague "Americanism," but to "stand squarely behind the present war to a successful end." It condemns La Follette by name, and denounces any "attitude or utterance" of his which "has tended to incite sedition among the people of our country." Senator Hanson, in urging the passage of the amendment, declared La Follette to be "a traitor." Senator Bennett declared that La Follette was "admired by every traitor to his country" and "enshrined in the heart "of every disloyal member of this "community," and compared him to Judas and Benedict Arnold. The amendment was passed by a vote of 26 to 3.

The battle is on. The Governor, seeking to "pussyfoot," was thrown aside. The Assembly "pussyfoots" and the Senate declares outspokenly for America. There is no room for compromise or half measures. Wisconsin must be all one thing or all the other. Victor Berger will be the Socialist candidate; the Republican and Democratic candidates must not be "pussyfooters," but must be straight-out Americans, pledged, not to vague inanities of formal patriotism, but to the thing the Senate resolution declares for—"to stand squarely behind the present war to a successful end."

A University of Wisconsin professor, Dr. Karl Johann Heinrich Voss, said in a speech at Cleveland in October, 1916:

> It is the beautiful and profitable task of German-Americans to prepare the way in this country for the German spirit and the German conception of life.

A German exchange professor at the same Wisconsin University, Professor Eugen Kuehnemann, said in November, 1915, at a German-American Alliance celebration at the Auditorium in Milwaukee:

> Your loyalty toward Germany is your true loyalty to America. The delusion that the Western world must be under the absolute rule of Anglo-Saxon thought is coming to an end. Germany in those days is obtaining for itself the right and power to take part in dictating the future destiny of the earth.

The question before Wisconsin is whether it shall become the first outpost in this new Germany. As The Milwaukee Journal puts it:

> Germanism is intrenched in Wisconsin and is fighting to gain more ground. * * * Shall we fight to remain an American Commonwealth, or be content to become a German reichsland?

On that question there is no room for "pussyfooting"; no room for compromise; no room for half words, half measures, or half hearts. Governor Philipp's proposal was to gloss the thing over and leave it in doubt, for he feared the issue; but if Wisconsin is to be indeed a German reichsland, it is no service to the country to postpone the day of that discovery.

FUTILE PARLEYING.

Democratic diplomacy, what Mr. Trotzky would call revolutionary diplomacy, as opposed to secret diplomacy, has degenerated into mere verbal jockeying in which further participation by self-respecting nations is impossible. The German Chancellor, as ex-Ambassador Dumba admitted was the case with Count Czernin, is still talking to the peoples, not to the Governments, of the Allies. It was evident that Mr. Wilson's most recent address to Congress was intended to have some effect upon the minds of the Austrian people. Further effort in that direction has been made hopeless by the complete triumph of German arms and German intrigues in Russia; and the American people, as well as the peoples of the other allied nations, receive von Hertling's bungling overtures with general contempt. Americans would be glad to see the end of these long-range parleyings.

While Mr. Wilson declared the war aims of the Entente Allies frankly, with manly straightforwardness, Count von Hertling in every restatement of German policy sinks to yet lower depths of evasion and ignoble trickery. In his latest utterance there is not a thought or a word that honestly responds to the addresses of the President to Congress or the speeches of Mr. Lloyd George in the House of Commons. What avails it that the German Chancellor declares his fundamental agreement "with the four principles" laid down in Mr. Wilson's address of Feb. 11, when not only his other statements are at war with those principles, but the behavior of Germany in Russia shows that she categorically rejects all the principles laid down by President Wilson as fundamental? There is no Alsace-Lorraine question, says Count von Hertling, and withdrawal from Belgium must be upon terms which would leave that country in vassalage to Germany. Further interchanges of this nature with the political authorities of a Power that flouts every principle of honor and decent dealing, and meets frank statements with fresh insults, is out of the question.

Mr. Wilson may take note of the German Chancellor's words, but it should be only to expose the false and hollow nature of his pretended acceptance of the foundation principles. In his answer to the Pope's note, Mr. Wilson declared that the German Government could not be trusted. In his address of Feb. 11 he declared that "the method the German Chancellor "proposes is the method of the Con-"gress of Vienna. We cannot and "will not return to that." Upon that occasion he said that America "can-"not see her way to peace until the "causes of this war are removed, its "renewal rendered, as nearly as may "be, impossible." If he speaks again, it will be necessary for him, for reasons of still greater force, to denounce with increased emphasis the position of Germany. Forestalling the action of any peace congress, Germany seizes upon the western and Baltic territory of Russia, fully intends to control the whole of Russia, as a means of fortifying herself to make war again, in her own good time, upon the civilized nations of the earth that entered this war fully resolved to destroy her military power in order that, in the President's words, the renewal of war by her might be made impossible.

There can be no peace, no hope of peace, there should be no talk of peace, until Germany has been compelled to get out of Russia altogether, to withdraw her troops from Belgium and the other lands she has overrun, to restore Alsace-Lorraine to France, and go under bonds of good behavior acceptable to the Allies. Those are the unchangeable aims of the war, there can be no assured peace until they have been achieved. To attain them will demand of the Allies that they make war in dead earnest. Wars are won by fighting, not by talking.

JAPAN'S SHIPS AND AUSTRALIA'S WHEAT.

Our Government's negotiations with Japan concerning sales of American steel plates and the purchase of Japanese ships are still in slow progress. They began several months ago. The steel, which is needed for Japan's shipyards, has not yet been released. The following statement about Australia's huge accumulated surplus of wheat from the leading British crop reporting agency has been published here:

> Harvesting is now completed. The crop is about 120,000,000 bushels, of which only 40,000,000 are required for home consumption. Storing is on a large scale, and ocean tonnage is still inadequate. Old wheat on hand about 136,000,000 bushels, and the new crop surplus is 80,000,000.

Japan sought permission to buy and take away 100,000 tons of steel ship plates. More than half of the 330,000 tons of vessels under construction in her yards had been ordered by Great Britain and France. Our Government offered to release the steel upon condition that Japan should sell to us 300,000 tons of ships, the price named being $175 a ton. Japan was unwilling to part with so much tonnage, and her shipbuilders asserted that the proposed price would not cover cost of construction. Our Government was reminded that there was a good market for shipping at Japan's ports, where prices paid range from $325 to $400 a ton. A few weeks ago our terms were modified, the Government consenting to accept the sale of 200,000 tons of ships, instead of 300,000, in consideration of the release of 100,000 tons of steel. But no agreement was reached. Probably delay has been caused by differing views about the price. Japan's shipyards are waiting for the plates.

In these negotiations the moving of Australia's wheat should be considered. While we are striving here by cutting down consumption to provide the 75,000,000 bushels which Lord Rhondda says England must draw from this country in the next three or four months, 216,000,000 bushels in Australia wait for ships that do not come. Japan, not far away, has the carriers in her enlarged merchant marine. Some of them should have been at work months ago, reducing this great surplus of grain and bearing it to allies in need. It may be that our Government would so use the ships which it desires to buy in Japan, but it is understood that their service will be on the Atlantic. We hope that work will soon be resumed in Japan's yards with the help of American steel, as a result of an agreement about prices. But our Government might with good reason add to the conditions one requiring transportation of specified quantities of Australia's wheat to England by Japanese ships.

"CONCURRENT POWER."

A point of much importance was that raised by Austen G. Fox in his brief on the prohibition amendment yesterday before the joint Judiciary and Excise Committees of the Legislature. The amendment's provision vesting "concurrent power" in the Federal Government and the States to enforce prohibition by legislation embarks us on a dangerous voyage. Mr. Fox gives a glimpse of its possibilities when he asks us to imagine what would have happened to the amendment abolishing slavery if that amendment had provided that the power to enforce it by appropriate legislation should be concurrent, exercised by the nation and the States.

It is not at all impossible that a State opposed to prohibition might enact legislation which would virtually neutralize the effect of the amendment. Whether it does so or not, it has the opportunity. The worst aspect of the provision, however, is that it raises a ghost thought to be laid, the concurrent power of the States with the nation to decide how to enforce the mandates of the Constitution. It was a four years' war which was supposed to have laid that ghost.

GENERAL FOCH'S MESSAGE.

It was to be expected that General Foch, the greatest defensive tactician in the French Army, would say, as he does in an interview with a correspondent of The New York Times, that the Germans will not break through on the western front. In the mile, or in any given distance, only so many guns of all calibres can be used and only so many divisions can assault. The maximum of artillery and shock troops was employed by the Germans in one offensive after another, from the first battle of the Aisne to Verdun, including the "drives" to shatter the communications of the Allies with the coast in the Autumn of 1914, when General Foch was in command of the Northern Army as Marshal Joffre's trusted lieutenant.

"They will not break through," says General Foch when asked for his opinion about German plans in the west. After Verdun that would be the declaration, it may be said, of any French soldier from Marshal to poilu. General Foch puts the case very simply, but with sound logic, when he says:

> We are strong in guns, munitions, and airplanes. Our artillery superiority to the enemy is incontestable. Finally, our morale is better than ever. On the other hand, the German troops have deteriorated since 1914. In view of all these things, we wait for them without anxiety.

The deterioration of the German troops would naturally result from victory so long deferred after the swift advance through Belgium and Luxemburg to the Marne that the German Army ceased to believe in it at all. On the eve of the battle of the Marne General von Kluck amused himself in a breathing spell, as he sat in the street of a French village, by telling one of the natives that he would be in Paris in forty-eight hours. The common soldiers shared the confidence of the great man. After the recoil of the Kaiser's army, a splendid organization in those days, its psychology became that of the champion boxer who has been beaten by a better man and is never sure of himself afterward.

After Joffre's unexpected victory the Germans resumed the initiative from time to time up to the beginning of the battle of the Somme, but never with the old faith in their superiority. Their morale, with losses so great that they stopped reporting them, continued to decline, and when they had to call out class after class until boys were put in the line, the fighting spirit of the German Army was no longer spontaneous. The deterioration, General Foch speaks of will count heavily against the success of any offensive the Germans undertake on the western front in 1918. Can they make up by superior numbers, feinting and operating at different points, what they lack of the old will to conquer? That is the one question that gives the Allies facing them any concern.

The most significant passage in the Foch interview is that in which he points out how the war can be definitely won. To hold the Germans would not be victory, but a draw, the alternative of which must be a negotiated or political peace:

> We must have a big American army, with shipping mobilization, the construction of airplanes and munitions—everything. Hurry! Hurry! Hurry! Don't lose even half a minute. If you do your utmost you will make the right kind of victory sure, and you will hasten it.

That insistent cry has been rising ever louder since the collapse of the militant power of Russia. There is in it a note of apprehension that America is not making haste fast enough, has spent too much time in planning and too little in execution. But America has been gathering speed. The time is near at hand when the construction of ships, the most pressing need of the Allies, will show results to resolve all doubts. Thereafter confidence in a military victory will grow by leaps and bounds.

UNITING FOR WAR WORK.

The conference between representatives of labor and capital now sitting at Washington is designed for the adoption of a policy for prevention of future disputes, and has nothing to do with any past dispute. Its concern is with principles, not with facts, for it is rather a legislature than a court. Its procedure, therefore, is more important than any one strike, for it is to provide a standard by which the merits of both strikes and lockouts are to be tested. A conference of this sort is obnoxious if it degenerates into a combination of capital and labor against any faction of either, or against the interest of the general public, which they both serve. The conference will be something worse than futile if it results in the control of production for the sake of raising prices and profits, or in the limitation of jobs to any class of labor for the sake of an uneconomic increase of wages.

There is work for every worker, because there is need of the greatest production of all. When there are no idle or underpaid dollars or men, their aggregate earnings are the maximum possible, and the production should exceed every precedent, even though scores of millions of men have been withdrawn from productive labor, and although billions of money are asked for use in processes of destruction. The fate of the world may be seen in what is happening in Russia if the Bolsheviki of either capital or labor are allowed to have their way without restraint. The conference at Washington can prevent such a horror for the United States by reaching decisions so wise and moderate that they shall command voluntary acceptance, or may be adopted by Government for compulsory practice upon whoever may seek to avoid or annul them.

The prospect for such a result depends upon the acceptance of leadership by both capital and labor. Labor's reproach against capital has been that capital has known how to mold laws to its interests and how to obey laws in an evasive manner. The enforcement of the laws upon the strongest and skillfulest of the capitalist trusts has reduced that reproach nearly to disappearance. Capital is beginning to make the same reproach against labor, and long has complained that labor has broken laws in the general interests by methods of violence rather than of evasion. The capitalists will not enter this conference with any defense of the trusts beyond the point where co-operation is beneficial to the consumers of their products. Without raking up old matters, it is cause for regret that labor has seen fit to put forward as one of its representatives the leader of the ship carpenters' strike, one of the chief opponents of Mr. Gompers. It would be a misfortune for labor if Mr. Hutcheson should be able to impose upon the conference his position that the carpenters have a right to choose with whom they will work, and even that Government or capital seeks to crush the unions by employing any worker satisfied with the conditions of employment. The country needs ships without regard to what sort of labor makes them. The demand for a living wage is not to be confused with the demand that some men shall not be allowed to earn the wage agreed to be fair. The disposition which the conference shall make of this contentious point will decide whether or not it was a mistake to include Mr. Hutcheson in the conference.

Another stern duty before labor is to accept the declaration of the Government Adjustment Board that "in "the present national emergency it is "vitally important that every limita-"tion upon output shall be removed." That is asking no more of American labor than was granted by the much stronger British trade unions as one of the first steps in the war. Within the past few days one of the representative British trade unionists, a member of the British Labor Mission to this country, said:

> After debating three full days, representatives of twenty-six unions agreed to abandon every workshop condition interfering with the maximum production of munitions. It was a big thing to ask, because they had been attained at the cost of great sacrifice. We promised, too, that there would be no strikes in any works producing munitions. We had always been against compulsory arbitration, but we accepted it for the duration of the war.

The conference will fail if it results merely in continuance of a policy of phrases, and fails to go to the substance of the necessities of the case, to which labor and capital alike must bow.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

A Curious Case of Ignorance.

That the Staats-Zeitung was rather better informed as to the purposes, sentiments, and doings of those whom The Times was scolded the other day for calling "German-Americans" has hitherto always been admitted, sometimes graciously and sometimes not, by its English-using neighbors. The assumption of the existence of this superiority seemed reasonable enough, but it either was, or has now become, obviously fallacious, for yesterday there appeared in the Staats-Zeitung the assertion that the aim of the German-American Alliance "is educational and cultural," and that "it was organized, not to obstruct the assimilation of immigrants from Germany, but to make that assimilation more perfect by encouraging them to bring to it the best that is in German civilization."

Proof that these statements are incorrect is so abundant and so well known in most newspaper offices, as well as to the part of the public interested in such questions, that their appearance where they do is a pathetic revelation of—well, let it go as innocence in order that a harsher characterization may be avoided. In scores of official proclamations and pronouncements, issued by the Alliance, not at all secretly in past years, it has exerted all its large powers to prevent its members from forgetting their origin. They have been urged again and again to work together as a separate people for their interests as such.

In one sense all this was "educational and cultural," but certainly it was not so in the sense in which the Staats-Zeitung—in all sincerity, of course—uses the words and wants them to be taken. The Alliance has aspired to political power and not infrequently has attained it. In Germany many great persons, including the Kaiser himself, have praised the Alliance for preventing the disappearance of the German-Americans as a distinct element in, but not of, this country's population.

Whether or not the organization is as vehemently un-American as has been asserted by Mr. Ohlinger—that is still a matter of opinion. That it has no legitimate reason for being, and never had one, is, as he says, a fact, and the sooner it disappears through suppression or abandonment the better for everybody concerned—which means everybody.

Phrases No Longer Please Him.

And now Lenine is quoted as denouncing with eloquence and vigor what he calls "phrases," and with equal scorn he attacks the makers thereof! As he has himself, ever since he made his mysteriously accelerated and personally conducted journey from Switzerland through Germany to Russia, been notable chiefly, if not only, as a manufacturer of high-sounding phrases, his associates in that industry may well complain of his onslaught on it and them.

What was there to his movement in the beginning and long after except "no annexations and no indemnities"—a phrase and an empty one, by all laws of interpretation ever in vogue? Clustered around it were others relating to the bourgeoisie and the proletariat, to the brotherhood of European workers, to half a hundred beautifully vague abstractions. And now the Bolshevist boss turns on those of his followers who would continue the making of phrases—who like to talk about "fighting to the death for our principles" and repeat the familiar and orthodox formulae with reference to "foreign yokes" and "the sacred soil of Holy Russia."

What Lenine now means, apparently, by "phrases" is any and all expressions of opinion adverse to his own of the moment, and especially those that recall at this inconvenient time the prophecies he formerly uttered as to the certainty of proletarian revolutions first in Germany and Austria, and a few weeks or days later in all the other strongholds of capitalism. It is no wonder that he hates such phrases as those, all relating to things past and gone. He has a new program now. What he preaches at present is the signing of anything Germany wants—with a firm determination to stand by the signature only till something happens to make repudiation safe and therefore right.

That is good German doctrine. What are treaties, anyhow, except scraps of paper?

Attention Must Be Undivided.

Careful reading of Dr. Speer's impassioned defense of his speech before the Columbia students reveals what is probably the reason why so many of his hearers took away from it an impression which was, he says, the exact opposite of the one he intended to make. The explanation appears in his only reference—and that oblique—to the portion of his address that alone remained in the memory of his critics—the portion that consisted of a recapitulation of America's past sins.

Dr. Speer proclaims himself the firmest of believers in the necessity of defeating Germany, but he adds: "We must understand that we have set ourselves to a gigantic and enduring task. The war with Germany is only part of it."

This is much the same as it would be for a man whose house is on fire to keep in mind that there is more to life than the putting out of the fire, and for him to discourse long and earnestly on that fact to the neighbors who rush up to help him.

Nobody can deny that we might have treated our Indians better than we did, and we have been, and are, in several ways, considerably less good and wise than we should be, but this is no time for taking up those questions. They are not of present importance. The war with Germany is, and, until that war has been won, speakers who try to divert even a little of public attention from it need not be surprised at finding themselves "misunderstood" and "wronged," exactly as was Dr. Speer.

However far from being pacifists they may be, in that category they will be placed, and not altogether unjustly.

Irritated with No Excuse.

Representative Fuller of Massachusetts has discovered, as has many a member of Congress before him, that a good many of that revered body's committees have no other objects than those of giving nominal positions to lawmakers not yet arrived at recognition, and to provide them with facilities for doing a little work for the folk in their home districts.

Mr. Fuller's rage over this belated discovery of the long known is excessive. The thing is innocent enough, and he should have been content with finding in it something of utility and a good deal of the amusing. What if the Committee on Coinage, Weights and Measures never meets, or if the Committee on Ventilation and Acoustics has no experts on either subject among its members, or if the Committee on Expenditures in This, That, and the Other Department does no auditing of accounts? The statesmen thus designated must be something and somewhere, as their constituents insist on electing them to office, and by strict attention to such public business as happens to come their way, in time they will be promoted to committees that have more than a name and a messenger.

Established custom almost always has a defense, and it should not be attacked lightly.

ART NOTES.

Bowman Chinese Porcelains and J. D. Crimmins Pictures.

At the Anderson Art Galleries the A. F. Bowman collection of Chinese porcelains is on view prior to the sale beginning tomorrow. Mr. Bowman formed his collection in the course of his travels, acquiring good pieces from such collections as the Meinikoff, the Duke of Sutherland's, Hamilton Palace, &c. There are many specimens delightful in color and fine in form, ranging over many periods and types of glaze. An amphora of white porcelain with a decoration of imperial five-clawed dragons in peach bloom, mounted on a carved ivory stand representing dragons each with claws resting on a ball, is one of the particular prizes of the collection, which includes about 500 numbers.

On the third floor are the paintings belonging to the John D. Crimmins estate. Nearly all of them are pictures that appeal to the old-fashioned taste for stories told in paint, but in several the stories and the painting are exceptionally good. A group of bathers by Diaz is a charming bit of composition, rich and tender in color; the Munkacsy interiors are in the best vein of an artist remarkably gifted and of great distinction in craftsmanship. The Girard, "Fleurs tout frais," is one of the scrupulously painted French street scenes that have their own charm in illustrating the fascination of the city, and a Jean Beraud has the same attractiveness, with a more polished and clever style.

The great attraction of the collection is the George Inness "Off the Coast of Cornwall," painted in the artist's sixty-second year, with all the gusto and courage of a youthful hand and with the fine reserves and implications of long experience. The subject is a wild day on the Cornish coast, the wind sending black clouds scudding across a whimpering sky, the dark crags rising ominously at the left above the churning green water, and in the middle distance a sail of reddish orange rising like a tongue of flame from the smoky grays and blues. In the foreground are figures subdued to the general tone. The picture is one of passion and integrity, a remarkably fine example, none the less desirable because it does not fit easily into a classified list of Inness subjects. Whoever owns the finest of the "typical" Innesses should own this also precisely because it is not typical in the ordinary sense of the word, but shows how a great painter can command an unfamiliar subject when it awakens his enthusiasm.

The sale of the Crimmins collection takes place on the evening of March 5.

Dry Humor.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Mr. Anderson of the Anti-Saloon League professes to find amusement in the efforts of a small minority to force prohibition upon the State of New York, against the wishes of the great majority of its citizens, through the pending amendment to the Federal Constitution. It is natural that queer people should have queer ideas of humor, and so it is possible for the prohibitionists to find something exceedingly funny in laws under which a farmer who allows cider to become hard, or a grape-grower who crushes grapes of his own growing and makes wine, can be fined and imprisoned.

The funniest aspect of the prohibition fight Mr. Anderson ignores. It is the spectacle of the great Empire State, with 10,000,000 population, begging a small group of self-constituted reformers, numbering in all probably less than 100 persons, for permission to take a referendum vote on the question of ratifying the prohibition amendment. "Let the People Rule" was the chant of the Anti-Saloon League when it was working for the extension of the local option laws to cities. "The People Be Blowed" is the position now taken by the same men, who are relying upon a pliant Governor to force ratification by the State Legislature, although the members of that body were not elected on the prohibition issue and have no mandate from their constituents as to how they should vote.

GEORGE W. SWEENEY.
New York, Feb. 25, 1916.

Is It a Joke?

To the Editor of The New York Times:

We read that Professor Veblen of Missouri thinks it best to just lie down and let Germany control the world to save further loss of life and as a way to prevent economic waste for all time. Is this a joke? If not, it is the best argument yet for giving college professors the right to say what they please. It will also make many a father think twice before sending his boy to college.

H. C. STRACK.
Owego, N. Y., Feb. 25, 1918.

THE TRUCE OF THE TIGER.

"Let us have peace and live as friends,"
the wily tiger said;
The sloth bear cocked a listening ear
and scratched his shaggy head.

"Let us have peace as brethren should,"
the crouching tiger purred;
And the great, warm heart of the weary
bear was very deeply stirred.

"Enough, enough of blows and blood,"
the bear's gruff answer came,
"I shall call a truce to the war we wage,
if you will do the same.

"I shall let you bind with wire of steel
my mighty fighting paws,
"If you in turn will pledge to me to
shear your cruel claws."

"Well spoken, friend," the tiger whined,
as he bound the huge sloth bear,
"My claws will soon be harmless as the
pads of the limping hare."

Thereat he sank his talons through the
sloth bear's wondering eyes
And gashed his breast. The wounded
beast implored the heedless skies.

The tiger snarled, "No pledge I own,
no truce, no oath, no law,
But the force that dwells in a sudden
spring and the clutch of my mighty
claw."

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"Beware, beware," the great bear
moans, as, blinded, he makes his
way;
"Beware the lure of the tiger's truce
or be what I am today.

"Beware the purr of the crouching cat,
beware of its tricky whine;
Or else—in a stroke of its rending claw—
your fate shall be as mine."

ELIAS LIEBERMAN.

DR. SPEER'S ADDRESS.

More Strong Protests Against That Kind of Doctrine.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I wish to commend the patriotic service rendered by Professor Mitchell of Columbia University in calling attention to the baneful effects of an address delivered by Dr. Robert E. Speer at a student mass meeting recently held under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. I was present, and as a college President have some idea of the withering and blighting effect of such an address upon the patriotism of students. A graduate student, a woman of about 40 years of age, turned to me after the address and said, "He seems to take this war very quietly. I guess we have been too much exercised about it."

Like other pacifists, Dr. Speer's philosophy of life or religion seems so attenuated by academic discussion that it is incapable of rising to any great moral conviction, and seems unable to distinguish between greater and lesser wrongs. He placed the taking of a few acres of land from the Indians in the same category with the rape of Belgium and the strewing of the bottom of the ocean with the bodies of innocent women and children.

The statement of the Y. M. C. A. secretaries that the Y. M. C. A. is patriotic may be accepted without question. Because of the splendid work it is doing in this war I have hesitated to say anything about this matter. But those who selected the speakers for this great student mass meeting are not without blame. For they well knew that Dr. Speer was an ultra pacifist before the war, and that since the war began he has delivered addresses which must have given comfort to the enemy, as this one did. I do not question Dr. Speer's motives. But whatever they are, he is actually a pro-German propagandist.

This whole incident is most regrettable. I, for one, feel that this series of student mass meetings was most unfortunate.

LeROY WELLER.
New York, Feb. 26, 1918.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I read with a great deal of interest the letter of Henry Bedinger Mitchell in your issue of Feb. 23 and also the editorial comment in regard to it. I was very indignant, greatly alarmed, and most astonished to learn that Dr. Robert E. Speer could and would make such an address, and that it should be countenanced for a moment by Mr. Edmonds, the Intercollegiate Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. Today the United States and her allies are fighting a desperate battle for liberty, humanity, and Christianity, and for a man at this time to hunt up and call attention to the mistakes and past errors of these nations, in order to make them appear to the young minds of college students as bad as Germany, is the next thing to high treason. These men should immediately be made to come out strongly for the war, stop making pacifist and pro-German addresses, or be removed without ceremony or mercy from their official positions, or the Presbyterian Church and the Y. M. C. A. will be utterly discredited in the eyes of every man and woman with patriotic blood in their veins.

As a Presbyterian and Y. M. C. A. man I desire to enter my most earnest protest against allowing this sort of thing to go on, and request most urgently that you do all in your power with the organizations under whose auspices these men are working to prevent any further pacifist meetings of this sort.

As a soldier who hopes to lead 1,500 splendid young Americans to battle against the curse of Kaiserism I cannot and will not quietly submit to having the Church and the association of which I am a member permit their representatives to discourage patriotism and help to prevent an undivided, solid, enthusiastic support of our armies by the people at home. They might as well fire on us from the rear when we are in the trenches.

I agree with The New York Times in saying that "an argument more false, more vicious, or more irrelevant * * * could not be imagined," and ask, with the young Barnard freshman, "what kind of an American it was who, in time of war, carried with him in a pocketbook a collection of quotations to prove the iniquity of his own country and of its allies."

ASHER MINER,
Colonel 109th Field Artillery, Trustee Wilkes-Barre Y. M. C. A. and Elder First Presbyterian Church.
Wilkes-Barre, Penn., Feb. 24, 1918.

ENEMIES IN THE DRAFT.

What Is to be Done with Them After the Weeding Out?

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Your issue of Feb. 23 contains a few reports which tempt me to ask a few questions. You speak of four draft soldiers who "face death penalty" because they plotted at Tacoma Camp to shoot their officers if they ever got into action, and also to deliver all the American soldiers in their organization to the German Army. The names of the men under arrest have been withheld. It is to be hoped they will be known, when their penalty will no longer be concealed behind big type. I admit I am one of those who are longing for a justifiable death sentence and the punishment of traitors, beyond a "sentence." As far as I know, however, we have not proceeded beyond "sentences" in this country of ours, and our court-martials have proved as many instances of leniency. Now, a question I wish to ask is this: Do you believe that this country will continue to protect its enemies though your reporters are sure they "face death penalties"?

We are told that 200 men and more have been weeded out from the ranks of a single division. What will be done with them—for them or against them? Will they be weeded out so radically that they will be sent to the "home" from which they came? And will that be exactly what they are hoping for and why they proved "dangerous enemy aliens"? Do you believe they will be better citizens after having been weeded out?

The present President of the German-American Alliance, who speaks of three millions of members, gives them a doubtful character. In the same issue of Feb. 25 his friends and co-laborers tell us that their President does not know his people; and tell us they are better citizens than he admits them to be? Another question which I wish to ask is this: Do you believe that the President knows nothing of his three million men, surely less than his predecessors and co-workers? And a last question: Are you quite sure that this country should feel nothing but confidence in a large population whose very members do not exhibit mutual confidence?

A. JACOBI.
New York, Feb. 26, 1918.

In the Land of Kultur.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

What has German Kultur done for Germany? It is authoritatively stated that in Silesia, which is the largest province of Prussia, about 90 per cent. of all the houses consist of one room only, and that 55 per cent. of all the families in the City of Berlin live, each, in one room only. Apparently that is part of what Kultur has accomplished for Germany. Are these figures correct? They seem incredible, but have appeared in responsible publications.

C. P. TREAT.
Stamford, Conn., Feb. 26, 1918.

WAR AND THE PORT.

Emergency Measures to Meet the Big Demands of Shipping.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Your editorial article of Feb. 22 on unifying the Port of New York is the kind of helpful discussion which tends to bring about port integration. There has not been sufficient discussion, and the fundamentals of port planning are not popularly understood.

My views have not changed, but war conditions have made possible the coordination of heretofore antagonistic factors in New Jersey and South Brooklyn, so that I am now placing the accent on the adaptation of existing facilities to present war needs.

Ordinarily people go in and out of the front door of a theatre, but in an emergency there are a dozen unpretentious back exits available for the crowd. Similarly, to avoid war congestion the back railroads and water terminals of the port should be availed of and expanded now. Aside from lack of ships, existing congestion is primarily due to the fact that the railroad terminals at tidewater are insufficient for war purposes, and cannot be expanded quickly enough for these uses. Their too exclusive use for war shipments will prejudice their commercial use, which cannot be segregated from war use. This is a most serious point for our citizens to remember. War business will have the right of way regardless of what may happen to our own food, fuel, and raw material supplies. We must cooperate with the Government to quickly expand the port's facilities or expect to be excluded from them.

Thirty to fifty miles outside of the port in New Jersey, New York, Connecticut, and Long Island the railroad lines can be tapped and expanded into local switch-yard terminals for the following uses:

1. Cars can be held at such outside terminals for delivery at the port's main terminals without adding to congestion there.
2. Transfers can be made to motor trucks and freight taken either into the city or to the main terminals, or to the ships.
3. Transfers can be made direct from rail to lighter in the Passaic, Hackensack, and Hudson valleys, and at points on Long Island Sound, or the transfer may be made indirectly by motor truck to lighter on these waters from points further inland.
4. Ships can and should more generally be loaded at moorings in midstream from lighters alongside. This will be in conformity with the practice abroad. Munitions are so loaded in the lower bay now.
5. Open or inclosed storage can be quickly and cheaply furnished at the proposed outlying terminals.
6. The main highways leading into the port from all sides should be put in order and so maintained. The terminal improvements planned by General Goethals for the Newark meadows, South Brooklyn, and the opposite Bayonne shore, together with the New Jersey railroad terminal integration at and back of the Hudson River waterfront, so far as published, indicate a comprehensive port plan and policy which will admirably fit into the permanent port plan. As these plans are developed it is to be hoped that full publicity may be given them, so that they shall become anchored and fixed in public opinion.

But, after all, the fact must not be lost sight of that New York is the only great seaport divided into two parts by an unbridged and untunneled waterway. All other ports are situated about the sides of a bay on two sides of a river easily bridged, so that their several parts can be tied together by a series of railroad loops connecting all the carriers, docks, warehouses, and factories. This is the essential of port organization everywhere, and must be achieved here through the construction of tunnels or bridges between Manhattan and New Jersey. Probably vehicular tunnels will come first and lastly the all-rail tunnels. Private rivalries which have so far prevented this are still potent, and, in the words of The Times editorial, the all-rail connection "as a peace measure can be considered at leisure." It is not a war measure.

CALVIN TOMKINS,
Ex-Commissioner of Docks.
New York, Feb. 22, 1918.

LATIN-AMERICAN SENTIMENT.

German Gold Thought to Have Been Wasted There.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

When we take into consideration that there is almost no disparity of opinion regarding governmental principles between the United States and Latin America, all of us being republicans to the core; that there is not even any commercial rivalry worthy of the name, the products of both sections being mostly dissimilar and readily interchangeable; and, finally, that during the last Pan American Congress there were promising signs of a better understanding and a more favorable prospect of solidarity among all the nations of this continent, one of the explanations that can be given to the lukewarm attitude of some of them toward entering the war must be found in the underhand work of German agents.

Some of our public men in South America believe, as a historical superstition, that all successful nations in their heydays, besides acquiring the grasping habit of imperialism, become unbearable and despicable bullies to the smaller nations that have the misfortune of finding themselves within what they arrogantly call their "sphere of influence," as vividly exemplified at present by the opprobrious conduct of the Central Powers. On this belief the German propaganda cynically bases its claim that if the Allies win the war the United States will become the bully of America, imposing her will easily on her unprepared neighbors with the backing of a formidable army and navy that she will then possess.

There is a revival of the Mexican grievances, of the taking of the Panama Canal by ex-President Roosevelt, which apparently overshadows the promulgation of the Monroe Doctrine so gallantly upheld by Grover Cleveland during the Venezuelan controversy with England; the timely intervention of this country in favor of a Cuban republic, and, above all, the sincerely convincing language of President Wilson, who, as faithful and conscientious spokesman of the American people, has given us repeated and earnest assurances that this country has no intention whatsoever of encroaching upon the territories of our neighboring republics.

I am glad to see that many steps are being taken today by American patriots to counteract the pernicious effects of the aforesaid propaganda, though it is encouraging to know that many of these brilliant Prussian schemes degenerate into a mere flow of stupidly squandered money, so greatly needed at present by the German Treasury, and there can be little doubt as to their final ridiculous outcome in Latin America.

R. MUNOZ TEBAR.
New York, Feb. 22, 1918.

RECORDS BROKEN AT HEARN ART SALE

American Painters' Night with Inness's "Wood Gatherers" Leading at $30,800.

A WYANT BRINGS $21,500

Blakelock Landscape, $17,500; a Murphy $15,600—Chinese Vase $24,000—Total to date $251,932.

American artists had their inning last night, the second of the great George A. Hearn sale at the Hotel Plaza under the auspices of the American Art Association. There were three records broken for the sale of the work of American artists at public sale, Inness, Wyant, and Murphy touching their highest points, and Blakelock, who had previously broken a record, touching $20,000 at the Lambert sale, making a good second high mark.

There was a big crowd at the sale, every inch of standing room being taken by an enthusiastic gathering, a noticeably large number of men who had come to buy being present. There were murmurs of admiration as the different pictures were presented, and the crowd stayed through the bigger part of the sale, leaving many vacant seats as soon as the work of the American men had been sold.

It was the Inness, "The Wood Gatherers," which brought the highest price and the top notch of enthusiasm. It went to Scott & Fowles for $30,800. Wyant's "In the Adirondacks" went to Bernet, agent, for $21,500, and the record-breaking Murphy, a lovely "landscape," went to ex-Senator William A. Clark for $15,600. Theodore Robinson's charming "Girl Sewing," though not bringing as high a price, also broke a record and went to the Corcoran Art Galleries, Washington, for $5,000. The distinguished "Landscape" by Blakelock, which brought the second highest price for work of the artist at a public sale, went to Bernet, agent, for $17,500.

This night record of pictures with the afternoon record-breaking in the sale of Chinese porcelains, with the Duveens paying $24,000 for the beautiful Hawthorn vase, made the second day of the Hearn sale one of note.

The evening sale brought total returns of $185,585, and with the afternoon total for the porcelains of $35,423, a grand total was reached of $251,932.

In opening the sale Thomas E. Kirby referring to Mr. Hearn's remarkable collection of pictures by American painters, said:

"I think I can safely say that after the competition that will take place this evening it will be shown that Mr. Hearn's judgment was good."

It was hardly possible to give an introduction to the Inness, because of the eagerness of the bidders to get to work. All through the sale bids came so quickly that it almost had the appearance of a game where each one was trying to make his voice heard first.

The big Inness, "The Wood Gatherers," shows the figures of two women or a woman and a child, in the centre of the picture, the trees and grass painted with a soft haziness of effect, the only solid note a small white house seen in the background.

"This is the most beautiful Inness that has ever been sold,' began Mr. Kirby as the picture was shown.

Bidding Starts at $25,000.

"Twenty-five thousand dollars!" came an aggressive bid from the balcony.

"I have nothing more to say on that point," he continued to the amused audience. "That bid settles the question. But I have something else to say. This picture was bought by Mr. Hearn at the T. B. Clarke sale, and Mr. Clarke bought it direct from the easel of Mr. Inness. He said that it was the only picture the artist ever painted which had the peculiar silvery tone noticeable in this picture. The canvas is dated 1891 and it was sold in the Clarke sale that same year."

Another Inness, the "Berkshire Hills," a farmer and a load of hay on a tree-edged road, brought a comparatively small price, following the other picture, $5,100. All the Murphys brought a big average of prices, the first one sold, "Summer Landscape," which brought $5,700, was said to have been bought by Mr. Hearn for $300.

Harry Watrous, the artist known as the warm friend of Mr. Blakelock, was quoted by Mr. Kirby last night as saying of the "Landscape," which brought the top price of the Blakelocks in the sale:

"It stands out as a great painting—as great as was ever painted in this country or in any other. I do not believe that any of the Dutch artists or the Barbizon painters have excelled it."

The Pictures and Prices.

Following is a list of the paintings sold with the names of artists, buyers, and prices:

AMERICAN ARTISTS.	
87—The Sorceress—Thomas Wilmer Dewing; Scott & Fowles	$700
88—Summer—Wyant; Macbeth Galleries	4,100
89—A Spring Morning, (panel)—Dwight W. Tryon; Macbeth Galleries	875
91—Moonlight and Clouds—Blakelock; Macbeth Galleries	2,100
92—The Fountain—Cordova; Edwin Lord Weeks; Ferargil	370
93—A Glimpse of the Sea—Homer D. Martin; Macbeth Galleries	3,600
94—Sunset—Blakelock; W. George	3,600
95—In the Garden—Theodore Robinson; Macbeth Galleries	600
96—Summer Landscape—Wyant; ex-Senator W. A. Clark	5,700
97—August Afternoon—John Francis Murphy; P. W. Rouss	2,200
98—Meadow Land in Vermont—Wyant; Bernet, agent	3,900
99—Summer in Connecticut—J. Alden Weir; R. Handley	975
100—Rain—John Francis Murphy; Scott & Fowles	3,800
101—Venice—William Gedney Bunce; John Doe	800
102—Young Woman in Blue—James J. Shannon; Miss H. Strom	250
104—Dordrecht, Holland—Bogert; W. C. Runyon	375
105—Miranda—Louis Loeb; R. C. & N. Vose, Boston	500
107—The Storm—Bogert; Bernet, agent	225
108—Afternoon in October—Murphy; R. C. & N. M. Vose, Boston	7,000
109—Twilight in French Hamlet—Dwight W. Tryon; R. C. & N. M. Vose, Boston	1,100
110—Night: Montigny—Bogert; Henry Schultheis	350
111—Landscape—Theodore Robinson; W. Stimmel	625
112—Foggy Morning: Amsterdam—Bogert; J. Loeb	575
113—Landscape—Blakelock; Bernet, agent	17,500
114—Grove and Field—Murphy; P. W. Rouss	5,200
115—A Summer Landscape—Wyant; Henri Reinhardt & Sons	10,100
116—The Valley of the Seine—Theodore Robinson; S. T. Shaw	4,000
117—Landscape—Murphy; Ex-Senator W. A. Clark	15,600
118—Holstein Cow and Calf—Carleton Wiggins; J. C. Elms	625
119—Moonlight, (river scene)—Bogert; J. Simon	525
120—Lake Como—Henry Bailey Snell; R. C. and N. M. Vose, Boston	275
121—Moonlight and Surf—Bogert; W. E. Lisman	250
122—The Valley and the West Wind—Charles Harold Davis; R. C. and N. M. Vose	1,550
123—Moonlight—Louis Paul Dessar; E. E. Dickenson	875
124—Spring Ploughing—Horatio Walker; Macbeth Galleries	4,200
125—The Wood Gatherer—George Inness; Scott & Fowles	30,800
126—In the Adirondacks—Wyant; Bernet, agent	21,500
127—Girl Sewing—Theodore Robinson; Corcoran Art Gallery, Washington	5,000
128—Berkshire Hills, Inness; Bernet, agent	5,100
129—The Morning Paper, James J. Shannon; John Doe	325
130—Maidenhood, Elliott Daingerfield; Mrs. George Leary	825
131—Moonlight, Leonard Ochtman; Alfred Lichtenstein	400
132—Venetian Sunset, Bogert; S. T. Shaw	1,000
133—Sylvia, William McGregor Paxton; R. C. and N. M. Vose	625
134—Landscape: Evening, Bogert; A. Deutsch	725
135—Bathers in the Moonlight, Bogert; C. E. Kuhn	250
136—The Game of Chess, Edwin Lord Weeks; W. George	650
137—Open Air Restaurant, Lahore, Edwin Lord Weeks; W. George	2,600
138—Near Rouen, Bogert; P. H. Curran	300
139—Venice, Bogert; H. P. Case	750
ENGLISH, GERMAN, SWEDISH, AND OTHER ARTISTS.	
142—The Poet and the Publisher, (Panel,) Edmund Harburger; Henry Schultheis	$200
144—Head of a Woman, (water color)—Anders Zorn; T. Barth	650
151—Don Quixote and the Prisoners—J. H. Jurres; R. C. & M. N. Vose	500
153—Cliffs at Tangier—John Lavery; C. K. Kraushaar	410
15[illegible]—Edge of the Wood—Ludwig Dill; Henry Schultheis	410
157—Night Peace to Julia—Charles Sims; J. E. Elms	275
159—Nare Head, Cornwall—Harry Moore; W. George	325
160—St. Malo, France—J. W. Morrice; W. George	400
161—Evening in the Desert—John MacAllen Swan; Bernet, agent	600
162—Bleaching—R. G. Hutchinson; Rosenbach & Co.	475
164—Gloria in Excelsis, (water color)—E. de Morgan; Seaman, agent	250
165—Repose—E. A. Hornel; W. George	670
166—The Bridge and the City—David Young Cameron; Knoedler & Co.	1,500
167—The Flax Dressers—Mollinger; A. Melillo	210
168—Mlle. Lopojnikoff—Nicholas Fechin; W. Stimmel	1,825
170—A Moonlight Common—Benjamin Eastlake Leader; W. B. George	525
Total	$185,585

Black Hawthorn Vase, $24,000.

At the afternoon sale of the Chinese porcelains a magnificent black hawthorn vase broke all porcelain records in public sales in this country, going to the Duveen Brothers for $24,000. There was strong competition for this treasure of the Hearn porcelains, and there was applause when it was finally knocked down to the buyer by Otto Bernet, who was in the auctioneer's chair.

There was a good attendance at the sale and Thomas E. Kirby prepared the audience for an interesting event. Stepping to the front of the room he told of the two black hawthorne vases in the M. C. D. Borden sale in 1913, both of them damaged and repaired, which had brought respectively $8,600 and $9,300, but the record-breaking price of the perfect Hearn vase was a surprise at that. Competitors with the Duveens were Roland N. Moore, Yamanaka, Parish Watson, and C. E. Loo. Parish Watson, representing Gorer of London, was the last to come in, and stayed to the end, making the last bid, which the Duveens bettered. C. E. Loo came in third.

The record-breaking vase is 28½ inches high, of the late K'ang-hsi period, with a deadened black surface, partly softened with age and friction, and partly due to an artificial means of rubbing.

It is a typical vase of its kind, the aubergine tone of the trees as they should be, the flowers with yellow centres, drawings, birds, &c., representative.

A peachbloom vase in the Borden sale brought $12,500, and a higher record for porcelains than that was $18,100 for another peachbloom vase given by a New York collector in the great Mary J. Morgan sale in 1886. Other prices of the day seemed small in comparison.

Roland N. Moore paid $1,100 for a beautiful blue hawthorn ginger jar, K'ang-hsi; a tall oviform clear white hard paste vase, Yung Ch'eng, went to Serrell for $320; a tall cylinder white paste vase went to F. W. White for $360 and to the same buyer an imperial decorated vase for $620. A massive decorated Ming jar went to Yamanaka for $870, and a large gayly decorated oviform jar, with cobalt blue glaze, to R. N. Moore for $470. Timothy F. Crawley was one of the buyers, making a number of purchases, and Mrs. George Leary was a large buyer.

The returns for the afternoon were $35,423, bigger than for the entire first day, Monday.

$5,880 FOR BYRON WORK.

Rare Books from Robinson Library and Elsewhere Bring $19,663.

Rare books from the library of the late Mark P. Robinson of Honolulu and from other consignors were sold at the Anderson Galleries last evening. The 226 lots brought a total of $19,663.75. The highest price, $5,880, was paid by George D. Smith, for Catalogue No. 105, the complete original autograph manuscript of Lord Byron's "Sardanapalus." It is written in ink on 156 quarto and folio pages. On the last page is this note in Byron's handwriting, dated Ravenna, May 27:

> Memo.—I began this drama on the 13th January, 1821, and continued the first two acts very slowly and at long intervals. The three last acts were written since the 13th of May, 1821, (this present month)—that is to say, in a fortnight.

The manuscript contains unpublished portions. It was the property of John Murray, Byron's publisher. Other items were as follows, with catalogue numbers, prices paid, and the names of the successful bidders:

No. 6—"A Few Ideas: Being Hints to all Would-be Miltonians" with twenty-four colored illustrations, by Henry Alken, London, 1828-29; H. T. Ballard	$217.50
No. 15—A collection of original drawings and prints of places having a connection with early American Settlers; Gabriel Wells	1,750
No. 21—Proceedings of a Board of General Officers respecting Major John Andre, Philadelphia, 1780, the rare original edition, printed by order of Congress; George D. Smith	270
No. 27—"Practical Geometry," by Arthur Brice, 1776, with large folding map showing the naval battle between the Americans and British on Lake Champlain; George D. Smith	360
No. 35—The Birds of America, by John J. Audubon, New York, 1860; R. A. Starks	280
No. 39—Autographs of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence, containing specimens of them all, except Britton Gwinnett and Thomas Lynch, Jr.; George D. Smith	860
No. 48—"Beaux Arts Classics," with numerous illustrations by leading artists, printed on Japanese vellum paper, limited to twenty copies; George D. Smith	275
No. 89—"Description Geographique des Isles Antilles possedes par les Anglois," Paris, 1758, by J. N. Bellin, in binding by Derome; George D. Smith	280
No. 100—Original autograph poem by Robert Burns to Miss Ferrier, written a year after the publication of the first edition of his poems at Kilmarnock; T. R. Aldrich	500
No. 112—"Regimento di Navegacion," by Andres Garcia di Cespedes, Madrid, 1606, of great rarity; George D. Smith	400
No. 116—Cicero's "De Oratore Libri tres," manuscript of the middle part of the fourteenth century; George D. Smith	375
No. 120—"Poems" of Samuel T. Coleridge, containing also "The Death of Priscilla Farmer," by her grandson, Charles Lamb, Bristol, 1796, first edition; Ernest Dressel North	205

The sale will be continued this evening. Among the items will be letters and manuscript of Eugene Field, owned by Henry E. Dixey, the actor.

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E. F. PRENDERGAST, PRELATE, DIES AT 74

Archbishop of Philadelphia Succumbs to Diabetes After Three Months' Illness.

TALLEST CATHOLIC BISHOP

Former Vicar General Succeeded Archbishop Ryan Upon His Death in 1910.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 26.—The Most Rev. Edmond Francis Prendergast, Archbishop of Philadelphia, died at the archiepiscopal residence here tonight of diabetes. He was stricken on Dec. 15 last, and had been confined to his bed virtually ever since. He was in his seventy-fifth year.

Born in Clonmell, Tipperary, Ireland, on May 5, 1843, Edmond Francis Prendergast came to this country in his seventeenth year, and six years later, in the very cathedral in which he later received the news of his elevation to an Archbishopric, he was ordained a priest of the Roman Catholic Church upon the completion of his course at the ecclesiastical seminary of St. Charles Borromeo, Philadelphia.

He served in various charges in Eastern Pennsylvania, and in 1874 he was made rector of St. Malachy's Church, Philadelphia, of which he remained the nominal rector until 1911, when he became Archbishop. In February, 1897, he was consecrated Auxiliary Bishop of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia as an aid to Archbishop Ryan, who, three years later, appointed the new Bishop administrator of the archdiocese to take effect at the death of the Archbishop.

After the death of Archbishop Ryan, during the time Bishop Prendergast was administering the affairs of the archdiocese, news came from Rome that he had been appointed to succeed his superior, who died Feb. 11, 1910. His appointment caused great surprise in Rome, as it was generally understood and expected, both in ecclesiastical and lay circles there, that Mgr. Kennedy, the rector of the American College in Rome, would be chosen Archbishop.

As Metropolitan of Pennsylvania, Archbishop Prendergast was superior to five Suffragan Bishops, whose sees were in Pittsburgh, Scranton, Altoona, and Harrisburg. Once seen, Archbishop Prendergast would never be forgotten. He was probably the tallest prelate of the Catholic Church in this country.

Archbishop Prendergast was the third Archbishop of Philadelphia and seventh in the series of prelates who have occupied the See established by Pope Pius VIII. in 1808. When he was Auxiliary Bishop, Archbishop Prendergast had the title of Bishop of Scillio. He had also held the office of Vicar General.

F. M. GUNTHER TO MARRY.

Secretary of American Embassy in London to Wed Miss Hunnewell.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—The engagement is announced of Miss Louie Hunnewell, daughter of H. J. Hunnewell of Wellesley, Mass., and Mrs. J. S. Tooker of Foxwarren Park, Surrey, to Franklin M. Gunther, First Secretary of the American Embassy in London.

Franklin M. Gunther was born in New York, and was the centre of a diplomatic incident in which the German Emperor also figured indirectly a few days before the outbreak of the European war.

On July 21, 1914, Mr. Gunther, who was Secretary of the American Legation in Christiania, was a guest on board the American yacht Pauline during the international regatta. The Harbor Master of Christiania requested the Pauline to change her anchorage, the space being reserved for the German Emperor's yacht Meteor. It was charged at the time that Mr. Gunther struck the Harbor Master and knocked his cap off. This was denied by Mr. Gunther. The incident was closed on Aug. 5, when the American Minister to Norway apologized to the Norwegian Foreign Office and Mr. Gunther wrote an apology to the Harbor Master.

Mr. Gunther is 33 years old, and has been in the diplomatic service for ten years. He served at Managua, Lisbon, Rio de Janeiro, Paris and Christiania before going to London.

BRIDE OF ENSIGN E. S. CLARK

Miss Marion W. Hendricks Weds Naval Reservist at Her Home.

The wedding of Miss Marion Wilson Hendricks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Hutton Hendricks of 604 Riverside Drive, formerly of Albany, to Ensign Edward Strong Clark, U. S. N., R. C., son of the late William Bullock Clark and Mrs. Clark of Baltimore, took place at 8 o'clock last evening at the home of the bride's parents. The Rev. Dr. George Alexander Strong, of Boston, an uncle of the bridegroom, who was formerly pastor of Christ Church, performed the ceremony in the presence of the nearest relatives and intimate friends.

The bride wore a gown of white satin trimmed with rose point lace. Her tulle veil was caught up with orange blossoms and she carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley and roses. Her only attendant was her cousin, Miss Margaret Lee, who acted as flower girl. Atherton Clark was his brother's best man. Mr. and Mrs. Clark will spend a short honeymoon in the South.

The bride is a graduate of Wellesley College, class of '15, and Mr. Clark was graduated from Harvard in '17.

MISS LYDIA CADY WEDS.

The Bride of Attorney General William Langer of North Dakota.

The marriage of William Langer, Attorney General of North Dakota, and Miss Lydia Cady, a daughter of J. Cleveland Cady, an architect of this city, and Mrs. Cady, was celebrated at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the residence of the bride's father, 214 Riverside Drive, by the Rev. Father Brett. None except relatives and a few close friends witnessed the ceremony, which was followed by a small reception.

The bride wore a white satin gown trimmed with Brussels lace, a Court train depending from the shoulders and a tulle veil falling from a Brussels point cap, wreathed with orange blossoms. She carried Bride roses and lilies of the valley, and her father gave her in marriage. She had no attendants. Robert Erskine of New York was best man.

Mr. Langer and his bride left town last night for Bismarck, N. D., where they will make their home.

Brown-Berg Engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Donaldson Brown of Maplewood, N. J., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Lillian Gibbs Brown, to William H. Berg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Berg of Orange, N. J. Mr. Berg is a graduate of Yale, class of '16, Sheffield School. The wedding will take place this Spring.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

P. E. Church of the Incarnation
35th Street and Madison Ave.
Until Passion Week services will be held and the
Rev. Stuart L. Tyson, D. D.
will lecture on every Monday and Thursday afternoon at five o'clock.
The lectures on Monday afternoons will be on "THE HISTORY OF THE BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER," and on Thursday afternoons on "THE FIRST THREE GOSPELS."

$1,000,000 TO AID PALESTINE

Campaign for Restoration of Lands Is Begun Here.

A campaign to raise $1,000,000 to restore Palestine, where it has been ravaged by the retreating Turks, was started yesterday by the Conference of Jewish Organizations of New York. Solomon Sufrin, Chairman of the Executive Committee, announced that a meeting would be held at Carnegie Hall on April 6 to explain how it is planned to rebuild destroyed towns and to make it possible for the Jews driven from the land by the war to bring it under cultivation again.

Rabbi Wise, Nathan Straus and Justice Brandeis are among those who have been asked to address the meeting. The plans for the campaign for a $1,000,000 fund were laid at a meeting on Monday night at the Hebrew Technical School, which was attended by delegates from 205 Jewish organizations.

LIEUT. DONOVAN PROMOTED.

New Head for First Branch Detective Bureau.

Police Commissioner Enright yesterday promoted Lieutenant Joseph J. Donovan to the position of Acting Captain and placed him in charge of the First Branch Detective Bureau at Police Headquarters, which was commanded by Captain William Deevy, who retired on Saturday last.

Acting Captain Donovan will have fifty detectives under him and be in charge of detective work in the entire financial and lower business district. Acting Captain Donovan joined the Police Department in October, 1900. He has been commended for displaying exceptional courage in discharge of his duties on three different occasions. He is 43 years old. He lives at 397 First Avenue, Brooklyn.

TO REDISTRICT ALDERMEN.

Republicans Plan Bailiwicks Agreeing with Those of Assembly.

The New York Republican County Committee sent to Albany last night the bill to reapportion the Aldermanic districts of the city. The committee expects the bill to be passed at the present session of the Legislature, as it is strictly a party measure. The new apportionment is designed to reduce the number of Aldermen from 69 to 68, and to divide the city into much simpler Aldermanic districts.

The new districts are to be as nearly co-terminous with the Assembly districts as possible. The number of Aldermen will remain the same in all the boroughs except the Bronx, where the number will be reduced from 9 to 8. The wiping out of this district is designed to affect the Socialist vote there, as the district is heavily Socialist at present.

In Brooklyn the various Aldermanic districts will follow exactly the same lines as the Assembly districts with the exception of one Assembly district in East New York which will contain two Aldermanic districts. Brooklyn, therefore, will have twenty-four Aldermanic and twenty-three Assembly districts. The Bronx will have eight Aldermanic and eight Assembly districts, Queens will have six of each, while Richmond will have three Aldermanic and two Assembly districts. In Manhattan last year's reapportionment will be discarded entirely and all the Aldermanic districts will be made co-terminous with the Assembly districts. There will also be three Aldermanic districts in each Senatorial district.

LA FOLLETTE MAN IN RACE.

James Thompson Announces Candidacy for Senator in Wisconsin.

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 26.—James Thompson of La Crosse, Wis., who, it is understood, has the support of Senator La Follette, today announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for United States Senator to succeed Senator Husting.

MRS. TURNURE'S WILL FILED

Grandson Gets $100,000 and Charities $35,000.

The will of Mrs. Elizabeth Turnure, who died at 11 East Sixty-eighth Street on Jan. 16 last, gives $10,000 each to the New York Association for the Blind, the House of Rest for Consumptives, and the Society for Aged and Infirm Clergy of the Protestant Episcopal Church, and $5,000 to a Syracuse hospital to be designated by Grace Church of Baldwinsville, N. Y.

She gave $100,000 outright and the residue to her grandson, David A. Turnure of 109 East Seventy-first Street, and $10,000 to his mother.

Brown Will Disposes of Paintings.

Valuable paintings are disposed of under the will of Abbott Brown, who died at the Murray Hill Hotel on Feb. 4 last. To his sisters-in-law, Mrs. Elisabeth Hill Gallatin and Mrs. Anna Laughton Beekman, he gave two old masters and his collection of Chippendale furniture, Sheffield plate, rare editions and antiques, and to another sister-in-law, Lucretia Titus Harman Brown, he left the painting, "East Gloucester Wharves," by Cook. Melville, Davison, and Egerton Brown, the three brothers of the decedent, and his sister, Mary Ann Brown, received other paintings. The residuary estate is divided among thirteen nephews and nieces and the three brothers.

OTTO KAHN AT PALM BEACH.

Entertains E. T. Stotesbury at His Home—Malone Lectures.

Special to The New York Times.

PALM BEACH, Fla., Feb. 26.—Otto H. Kahn, who arrived yesterday with Forbes Morgan, Roger Winthrop, and Henry Bull, entertained Edward T. Stotesbury this afternoon at his home on the ocean front. On account of war conditions Mr. Kahn will remain here only two weeks. Dudley Field Malone lectured on suffrage tonight in the Poincinia ballroom. Being introduced by Samuel Untermyer, Irving Bacheller lectured there last night on his experiences along the French front, and raised just short of $2,000 for a local hospital.

Mrs. Richard Croker will give a song recital and talk about Indiana in the same place Sunday night. The patronesses include Mrs. Alfred G. Vanderbilt, Mrs. Charles B. Dillingham, Mr. and Mrs. Penbroke Jones, and Marquis and Mrs. Martin Maloney.

French Commissioners to Speak.

Andre Tardieu and M. Guy of the French Commission are to speak this afternoon at the exhibition being held by the Junior Committee of the American Hospital at 723 Fifth Avenue.

Mrs. Robert Bacon and Mrs. C. B. Alexander acted as hostesses yesterday, when Roy Woolley, winner of the Croix de Guerre; Miss Frances Howland, a former nurse in the hospital, and Mme. Bagnues spoke.

An Italian jeweled pendant was donated yesterday to the committee, and it will be auctioned off tomorrow when the sale commences of clothes contributed by prominent society women.

Army and Navy Officers' Dance.

An army and navy officers' dance will be held tonight at the Waldorf-Astoria under the auspices of the New York War Community Service. Mrs. James Madison Bass has been in charge of the arrangements for the dance. About 600 are expected.

Approves Baptist Consolidation.

Supreme Court Justice Whitaker signed an order yesterday approving the consolidation agreement of the Calvary Baptist Church and the Collegiate Baptist Church of the Covenant. The new organization is to be known as the Calvary Baptist Church Corporation, which will hold the combined properties of the affiliated churches.

MISS WILSON TO SING.

Will Make Tour of Eastern Camps Under Y. M. C. A. Auspices.

Miss Margaret Wilson, daughter of the President, will sing for the soldiers in several camps in the Eastern Division, beginning tonight at the opening of the Y. M. C. A. Building at Fort Totten. Miss Wilson will appear under the auspices of the Activities Committee of the Y. M. C. A. She will be accompanied by Melville Clarke on the harp and Mrs. Rose David on the piano.

The schedule of Miss Wilson's dates follows: Wednesday, Feb. 27, Fort Totten; Friday, March 1, Pelham Bay Park Naval Training Station; Monday and Tuesday, March 4 and 5, Camp Dix; Thursday and Friday, March 7 and 8, Camp Upton; Monday, March 11, Camp Merritt; Tuesday, March 12, Allentown, Penn., and Wednesday and Thursday, March 13 and 14, Cape May, N. J.

DR. SAMUEL G. DIXON DEAD.

Noted for Tuberculosis Prevention and Controversy with Prof. Koch.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 26.—Dr. Samuel G. Dixon, Commissioner of the State Department of Health, who is credited with having placed Pennsylvania among the foremost States in public health work and in the treatment of tuberculosis, died at the University of Pennsylvania today from anaemia. He was 66 years old. Dr. Dixon was appointed Commissioner of Health in 1905, when the department was created, and was renamed by each succeeding Governor.

Samuel Gibson Dixon was born in Philadelphia, March 23, 1851. He was privately educated, and for a time practiced law, but later became a student of medicine, and was graduated with honors from the University of Pennsylvania in 1866. Afterward he attended medical schools in Europe—King's College in London and Pettenkofer's Laboratory of Hygiene in Munich. He was probably best known, however, for original and advanced work in the prevention of tuberculosis.

On his return to this country in the latter part of 1889 Dr. Dixon was elected Professor of Sanitary Engineering in the University of Pennsylvania, and he left the university in 1890 to become Professor of Bacteriology and Microscopical Technology at the Academy of Natural Sciences in Philadelphia, of which he became executive curator in 1892 and President in 1896. He was a member of the Board of Education in Philadelphia for six years.

The death of Dr. Dixon recalls the famous controversy between himself and Professor Koch of Germany, who, in 1890, made his discovery in the fight against tuberculosis. The discussion was over the priority of discovery of a method of preventing tuberculosis in lower animals, which created considerable stir in the scientific world.

Through Dr. Dixon's efforts the State established sanitariums with about 2,000 beds for the care of tuberculous patients, and also established dispensaries in populous centres.

DIES AT PLAY REHEARSAL.

J. F. Canfield, Civil War Veteran, Was Preparing to Act His Role.

James F. Canfield, veteran of the civil war, and a member of U. S. Grant Post, 237, G. A. R., died suddenly last night in the billiard room of the post building at 489 Washington Avenue, Brooklyn, as he was preparing to attend a rehearsal of the part he was to have taken tonight in "The Road to Victory," to be given at the Academy of Music, Brooklyn, under the auspices of the National League for Woman's Service.

Mr. Canfield, who lived at 47 Brevoort Place, Brooklyn, was in his seventy-fourth year.

Camp Devens Soldier Accidentally Stabbed During Attack on Dummies

AYER, Mass., Feb. 26.—Corporal Timothy Daley of Waterbury, Conn., a member of Company H, 304th Infantry, was killed in bayonet practice at Camp Devens today. Under the eyes of Lieutenant F. A. Ingalls, the bayonet instructor, and a noncommissioned officer of the British Army, the men were charging across the floor at several lines of dummies. The bayonet of the man in front of the Corporal became entangled in the rigging of one dummy, and Daley ran upon the point of the weapon, receiving a wound in the abdomen.

Surgeons gave Daley prompt attention, but he died within a short time. He was 25 years old, and a graduate of Holy Cross College.

Ernest Henry Luebbers.

Ernest Henry Luebbers, founder of the marine insurance firm of E. H. Luebbers, now E. H. Luebbers & Son, died on Monday in his seventy-ninth year at the home of his son, Albert V. Luebbers, 881 Boulevard, Bayonne, N. J. Mr. Luebbers had been known throughout the financial district for fifty-one years. He was born in Germany in 1839, and received his education at the University of Heidelberg and at Oxford.

Obituary Notes.

DACE RANDOLPH, a retired member of the New York Fire Department, died yesterday at the home of his sister in Plainfield, N. J.

AMOS A. ZELLEY, manager of the Burlington County Farmers' Exchange, at Mount Holly, N. J., dropped dead yesterday in Mount Holly.

GEORGE E. WALLACE, 57 years old, of Plainfield, N. J., where he was employed at the Pond Machine Tool Works, died yesterday at his home.

Mrs. JOSEPHINE M. DIEHL, 77 years old, wife of Frederick Diehl, a retired merchant of Manhattan, died at her home, 644 Bedford Avenue, Brooklyn, on Monday.

HENRY C. BOTJER of 404 Jackson Avenue, Long Island City, who had been in the bottling business in Queens for many years, died at his home on Monday from pneumonia.

Mrs. REBECCA JOHNSON, colored, said to have been 108 years old, is dead at Morristown, N. J. She was born in Woodsville, N. C., and was a slave before the civil war.

The Rev. WILLIAM H. MARSHALL, formerly pastor of the First Baptist Church of Long Branch, N. J., died yesterday at Saegerstown, Penn., in his sixty-third year.

THOMAS JEFFRIES, a wagoner of the 111th (New Jersey) Machine Gun Battalion, died in the divisional base hospital at Camp McClellan, Anniston, Ala., on Monday from pneumonia.

Mrs. HARRIETT D. LOWENBEIN, 70 years old, widow of David Lowenbein, who was the head of the furniture firm of A. Lowenbein & Co., Manhattan, died on Monday at her home in Great Neck, L. I.

Miss NELLIE McHENRY, 40 years old, of 220 West Thirty-eighth Street, dropped dead last night while on a southbound Broadway car at Forty-second Street. Miss McHenry was employed as a checker in the Hotel Imperial.

Mrs. MARY MILLER, widow of John Miller and an old member of the John Wesley Pentacostal Church in Brooklyn, died in Patchogue, L. I., on Sunday from heart disease. She was 69 years old, and left six sons and four daughters.

Mrs. HARRIETT E. SKILTON, widow of Dr. Julius Skilton, who was once American Consul General in Mexico, died yesterday at her home in Auburn, N. Y. She returned to this country at the close of the term of office of her husband, taking up her residence in Brooklyn. Dr. Skilton died in 1897. Mrs. Skilton was in her eighty-second year.

CHARLES JOHN DOYLE, for thirty years with the Western Burglar Alarm System, died on Monday at his home, 75 Vanderbilt Avenue, Brooklyn, aged 73 years. He is survived by two sons, Robert Francis, chief inspector of the Bureau of Highways in Manhattan, and Charles J. Doyle, a stenographer in the Municipal Court in Brooklyn.

Private JAMES RUSSELL MAILLER, a student in the Field Artillery Battery of the Officers' Training Corps at Camp Upton, Yaphank, L. I., died from pneumonia at the base hospital of the camp on Monday. He was a son of Alexander C. Mailler of Cornwall, N. Y., and was graduated from Cornell University in 1916.

Mrs. ANNA SINCLAIR WEIR, widow of Donald M. Weir, died in her ninety-seventh year on Monday at her home, 314A Monroe Street, Brooklyn. She was born in Dunbar, Scotland, and came to this country with her husband and son in 1850. When the civil war began Mr. Weir and his son enlisted in the Fourteenth Regiment of Brooklyn. Mr. Weir was killed at the battle of Bull Run and his son died from a disease contracted in the service.

Dr. LOUIS M. HALSEY, one of the oldest dentists in Brooklyn, died from heart disease on Monday at his residence, 154 Putnam Avenue, Brooklyn, at the age of 74 years. Dr. Halsey was a lifelong resident of that borough, and at one time was a bass singer in the choir of Dr. Talmage's Tabernacle and also appeared in plays produced by the old Amaranth Dramatic Society. He was a member of the Invincible Club and De Witt Clinton Council, Royal Arcanum.

Marriage and death notices intended for insertion in The New York Times may be telephoned to 1000 Bryant.

Born.

FOOTE.—Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Foote of 123 West 138th St. announce the birth of a son, Feb. 19.

WARSHAWSKY.—Mr. and Mrs. Barnett Warshawsky, 7 Baldwin Av., Newark, N. J., announce the birth of a son, Arthur Cyrus, Feb. 14, 1918.

Married.

HYDE—JOHNSTON.—At the American Church, Avenue de l'Alma, Paris, France, Monday, Feb. 25, Grace Leslie Johnston to Second Lieutenant Albert Musgrave Hyde, Field Artillery, U. S. R.

LANGER—CADY.—At the home of her father, J. Cleveland Cady, on Feb. 26, Lydia Cady to William Langer of North Dakota.

GRANT—SELLECK.—Feb. 25, Armelia P. Selleck to Colonel Sydney Grant.

Died.

ARCHER.—Mary Elizabeth, suddenly, on Tuesday, Feb. 26, daughter of Mrs. A. Fred Archer. Funeral private on Thursday at late residence, 179 72d St., Brooklyn.

BLACK.—On Feb. 26, Esther Mary, beloved wife of the late Samuel Black. Services "THE FUNERAL CHURCH," Broadway, 66th St., (Campbell Building,) Wednesday, 4 P. M. Interment private.

BOGERT.—On Feb. 25, Joanna S., beloved mother of Adella C. Prentiss and the late Sadie A. Corbett. Funeral from her late residence, 176 Prospect Place, Brooklyn, on Wednesday, Feb. 27, at 2 P. M.

BOND.—Louise Van B. Bond, wife of Alfred Huidekoper Bond and daughter of the late John W. and Mary Louise Van Beuren Davis, at their residence, 21 East 60th St., on Tuesday, Feb. 26, 1918. Funeral at St. Mark's Church, 2d Av. and 10th St., Thursday morning, at 10:30 o'clock.

BURNHAM.—In Philadelphia, on Monday, Feb. 25, 1918, William Burnham, in the 72d year of his age. Services private.

CAXTON.—Feb. 26, 1918, John Caxton. Services Stephen Merritt Chapel, 223 8th Av., near 21st St., Thursday, 2 P. M.

CHONTOS.—Feb. 26, Stephen Chontos. Funeral from parlors of James E. McLarney & Son, Lexington Av. and 65th St. Notice hereafter.

DRIGGS.—In Waterbury, Conn., Feb. 24, Martha R. Driggs. Funeral services at her late home in Waterbury Wednesday at 2 P. M. Burial private.

DU MOND.—Suddenly, at Cranford, N. J., Tuesday, Feb. 26, 1918, William R. Du Mond, in the 59th year of his age. Notice of funeral later. Bridgeport papers please copy.

DUSCHNES.—On Monday, Feb. 25, 1918, Charles K. Duschnes, beloved husband of Mamie (nee Cohn) and dearly beloved father of Philip, Charles. Funeral services Wednesday, Feb. 27, 1918, at David J. Rothschild's Chapel, 272 Lenox Av., at 1:30 P. M.

DUSCHNES.—True Craftsman's Lodge No. 651, F. and A. M.: With deep sorrow we announce the death of Brother Charles Duschnes. Brethren are requested to attend the funeral from David J. Rothschild's Chapel, 272 Lenox Av., Wednesday, Feb. 27, at 1:30 P. M., and pay the last tribute of respect.
CHARLES N. KAYSER, Master.

FAIRCHILD.—Suddenly, Feb. 23, 1918, at Aviation Field, Fort Worth, Texas, in the service of his country, Franklin Crumbie, beloved son of Hon. Benjamin L. Fairchild and the late Anna Crumbie, aged 23 years. Funeral services at the residence of his father, Pelham Heights, N. Y., Friday, at 3 o'clock. Autos will be in waiting at Pelham Station on arrival of trains leaving Grand Central Terminal, New Haven R. R., at 1:06 and 2:18 P. M.

FETHERSTON.—On Monday, Feb. 25, Thomas J., son of the late Thomas and Ann. Funeral from his late residence, 95 York Av., New Brighton, S. I., on Thursday at 9:30 A. M. Requiem mass at St. Peter's Church at 10 A. M. Interment at St. Peter's Cemetery.

FISHER.—At Newark, N. J., at his home, 155 Milford Av., on Tuesday, Feb. 26, 1918, Andrew Halstead Fisher. Notice of funeral hereafter.

FOSTER.—Thomas L., at Fort Lee, N. J. Passed away suddenly Feb. 25, 1918. Funeral services Thursday evening, Feb. 28, 7 P. M. Utica, Chicago, Los Angeles, San Francisco papers please copy.

FREDRICKS.—On Monday, Feb. 25, 1918, Maria Louise Barron, widow of the late Charles de Forrest Fredricks, aged 79 years. Funeral services will be held at Trinity Episcopal Church, Woodbridge, N. J., on Thursday, Feb. 28, 1918, on arrival of train leaving New York 12:42 P. M.

GIEBELHOUSE.—At Plainfield, N. J., on Monday, Feb. 25, 1918, J. C. Marie Giebelhouse, in her 75th year. Funeral services at her late home, 625 West Front St., Plainfield, N. J., on Thursday evening, Feb. 28, at 8 o'clock.

GRAY.—At Aviation Camp, Millington, Tenn., while serving his country, Cadet Robert, Jr., son of Robert and Clara (Ritchie) Gray, aged 20. Services THE FUNERAL CHURCH, Broadway, 66th St., Wednesday evening, 8:30 o'clock. Interment Kensico. Train leaves Grand Central Station 11 o'clock Thursday morning.

HALLIDAY.—Suddenly, at Atlantic City, N. J., on Tuesday, Feb. 26, 1918, Margaret E., widow of James Halliday. Notice of funeral hereafter.

HARTSHORN.—At Newark, N. J., on Sunday, Feb. 24, 1918, Julia B., widow of Edmund F. Hartshorn. Funeral services and interment private.

HEINRICH.—Lena, on Feb. 26, beloved wife of Christian. Funeral from her late residence, 529 East 88th St., on Friday, March 1, at 9:30 A. M., thence to the Church of St. Joseph, East 87th St. Interment Calvary.

HENDBERG.—On Feb. 26, 1918, Raymond M., beloved son of William M. and Frieda Hendberg, aged 23 years. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 415 Washington St., Hoboken, on Thursday, Feb. 28, at 8 P. M. Interment private.

HOWELL.—At Newark, N. J., at her home, 123 Broad St., on Sunday, Feb. 26, 1918, Emma Corwin, wife of the late Francis K. Howell. Funeral private.

HUGHES.—Edith Armstrong, beloved mother of Grace S. and Corporal William C. Hughes, U. S. A., at her residence, 206 West 105th St., on Tuesday, Feb. 26. Notice of funeral hereafter.

JACKSON.—Jennie, after a short illness. Funeral services at her late residence, 505 West 185th St., Thursday evening, 8 o'clock.

JORDAN.—Julius, on Feb. 25, 1918, beloved husband of Sarah Jordan and dear father of Anna Norden and William Jordan. Funeral Wednesday, Feb. 27, at 10:30, from his late residence, 542 West 112th St. Funeral private.

JULIAN.—On Tuesday, Feb. 26, in his 83d year, Max H. Julian, beloved husband of the late Ida, father of Mrs. J. S. Baum, Mrs. Emma Clark, and Mrs. M. I. Cohen. Funeral services at the Harlem Funeral Chapel, 208 Lenox Av., Thursday, Feb. 28, at 10 A. M.

JULIAN.—Members of the Hungarian Society of New York are requested to attend the funeral of Brother M. H. Julian on Thursday, Feb. 28, at 10 A. M., from Rothschild's Funeral Parlors, 208 Lenox Av. Interment Machpelah Cemetery.
MORRIS TOPPER, President.
J. BIRNBAUM, Secretary.

LATZ.—On Monday, Feb. 25, Morris, beloved husband of the late Frances Latz, devoted father of Irving Latz and Mrs. Kittie Katzenstein. Funeral services at his late residence, 567 West 149th St., Wednesday, Feb. 27, at 10 A. M. Interment at Mount Hope Cemetery, Cypress Hills, L. I.

LELAND.—Frank Kimball, of 111 West 11th St., suddenly this morning, in his 41st year. Funeral services Germantown, Penn., Thursday afternoon.

LEONARD.—On Sunday, Feb. 24, 1918, John Leonard. Funeral service at his late residence, 3,920 Broadway, corner 164th St., on Wednesday, Feb. 27, at 8 P. M.

LEONARD.—Brethren of Henry Clay Lodge No. 277, F. and A. M., are requested to attend the Masonic funeral service of Brother John Leonard at his home, 3,920 Broadway, Wednesday evening, Feb. 27, at 8 P. M.
W. D. CARNES, Master.
B. D. BRANCH, Secretary.

LINDSAY.—On Tuesday, Feb. 26, at 526 West 160th St., Joseph Lindsay. Funeral services Thursday evening, Feb. 28, at 8 o'clock. Member of Star of Bethlehem Lodge, F. and A. M. Belfast (Ireland) papers please copy.

LINKER.—Morris, on Feb. 26. Funeral from his late residence, 566 West 162d St. Interment at Washington Cemetery, 11 o'clock.

LODEWICK.—Helen M., beloved wife of John S. Lodewick, Feb. 24, at her residence, 495 8th Av., Brooklyn. Solemn high mass of requiem Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, at St. Saviour's Church, 8th Av., corner of 6th St., Brooklyn.

LOHR.—On Feb. 26, 1918, Albert D., beloved son of Anna M. Lohr, in his 27th year. Services at his late residence, 792 East 168th St., Thursday evening, at 8 P. M. Interment at Woodlawn Cemetery.

LUEBBERS.—On Monday, Feb. 25, 1918, Ernest Henry Luebbers, in his 79th year, at the residence of his son, Albert V. Luebbers, 881 Boulevard, Bayonne, N. J. Funeral service at St. Simeon's Church, Sheridan Av. and 165th St., Bronx, New York City, on Thursday, Feb. 28, at 12 o'clock noon.

LYNCH.—Feb. 26, 1918, Edward B. Lynch, aged 47. Funeral services at his late residence, 2,117 Glenwood Road, (Avenue G,) Brooklyn, at 7 o'clock prompt Wednesday evening, Feb. 27, 1918. Interment at the convenience of the family.

Died.

LYONS.—Feb. 25, Mary Elizabeth. Services Stephen Merritt Chapel, 223 8th Av., near 21st St., Wednesday, 10 A. M.

MacVEY.—On Tuesday, Feb. 26, Sarah H., widow of George W. MacVey. Services at the residence of her son, 217 Midwood St., Brooklyn, Thursday, at 2 P. M. Interment Greenwood.

McCLOSKEY.—James A., on Feb. 25, 1918, beloved husband of Mary R. McCloskey, at his home, 581 West 148th St., New York City. Funeral Thursday, 9:15 A. M., from his late residence; thence to St. Catharine's Church, West 153d St. Interment Calvary. Automobile cortege.

McCONNELL.—At Lakewood, N. J., Feb. 26, Edward McConnell, in his 88th year. Notice of funeral hereafter.

McCORMICK.—At 18 Division Av., Nyack, N. Y., on Monday evening, Feb. 25, 1918, William H., beloved father of William, Frank, John, and Edward, and husband of the late Theresa G. McCormick. Mass at St. Anthony's Church, Nanuet, N. Y., Thursday, 28th instant, at 10:30 A. M.

McCORMICK.—The Fordham University Alumni Association announces with deep regret the death of our fellow-member, William H. McCormick of the class of '75 on Feb. 25, 1918. Members are requested to attend the funeral services at St. Anthony's Church, Nanuet, N. Y., on Thursday, Feb. 28, at 10:30 A. M.
Dr. GEORGE A. LEITNER, '85, President.
Lieutenant HENRY J. AMY, '16, Corresponding Secretary.

MARIAMSON.—Sarah, on Feb. 26, 1918, age 83, 1,006 Union Av. Funeral Wednesday, Feb. 27, 1918, 12 A. M.

MONDELSTAM.—Isidor, aged 26, son of Bertha Mondelstam and beloved brother of Annie Barend, Feb. 26. Funeral Thursday, 10:30 A. M., 219 Audubon Av.

MOORE.—Tuesday, Feb. 26, 1918, James Moore. Funeral at 1,060 Amsterdam Av. this (Wednesday) afternoon, 2.30 o'clock.

MORRIS.—Suddenly, Feb. 23, Dr. George Frances, beloved husband of Ida Morris. Funeral at 161 West 87th St., Wednesday, Feb. 27, at 2 P. M.

MURPHY.—Edna Cook, wife of Henry Killam Murphy, suddenly, Feb. 26, at her residence in New York. Funeral private.

MEYERS.—On Tuesday, Feb. 26, 1918, Henry Meyers, beloved father of Mrs. J. Caronamon, George Meyers, deceased, and Harry Meyers, aged 84 years. Funeral services at 944 Broad St., Newark, N. J., today, (Wednesday,) Feb. 27, at 2 P. M. Burial at B'Nai Abraham, South Orange Av., Newark, N. J.

O'NEILL.—Suddenly, on Feb. 25, at his home, 740 Riverside Drive, in his 88th year, Henry O'Neill. Friends are invited to attend the funeral services at the Second Reformed Presbyterian Church, 308 West 122d St., on Thursday, the 28th, at 2 P. M. Kindly omit flowers. Philadelphia and Pittsburgh papers please copy.

O'ROURKE.—On Feb. 25, Elizabeth C., Principal of School No. 103, New York City, daughter of the late John and Honora of 173 West 78th St. Funeral from Church of Blessed Sacrament, 71st St. and Broadway, Thursday, Feb. 28, at 10 A. M. Interment private.

PENTLARGE.—Suddenly, on Sunday, Feb. 24, 1918, Frank Pentlarge, beloved husband of Rebecca (May) Pentlarge, father of Alice P. Kleeman and son of the late Rafael and Caroline Pentlarge. Funeral services at his late residence, 875 West End Av., New York, on Wednesday, Feb. 27, at 2 P. M. Interment at Salem Fields Cemetery. It is requested that no flowers be sent.

PHELPS.—On Sunday, Feb. 24, 1918, Jane Johnston, wife of Howard Phelps and daughter of the late Thomas Marston and Susan Saltonstall Beare. Funeral services at her late residence, 601 West 113th St., at 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, Feb. 27.

ROSENBAUM.—Feb. 26, Tillie, beloved wife of Benjamin and mother of Edward, Jesse, Arthur, and Monroe. Funeral Feb. 27, 2 P. M., from late residence, 511 West 184th St.

ROWLAND.—Grace Talbot, widow of the late Amory E. Rowland and daughter of the late George A. Talbot, suddenly, Feb. 26, at her residence, 89 Trumbull St., New Haven, Conn. Funeral at her late residence on Friday, March 1, at 1 o'clock. Interment at Oaklawn Cemetery, Fairfield, Conn. Kindly omit flowers.

SANBORN.—At Westfield, N. J., on Tuesday, Feb. 26, 1918, Louisa L., widow of Frank B. Sanborn of Concord, Mass. Funeral services from the home of her son, Francis B. Sanborn, 265 Kimball Av., Westfield, on Thursday, Feb. 28, at 10 A. M.

SCHOLZ.—On Monday, Feb. 25, 1918, Emma A., (nee Senne,) widow of the late Lewis A. Scholz, in her 52d year. Funeral services at her late residence, 42 West 26th St., Bayonne, N. J., Thursday at 9 P. M.

STARR.—Charles P. Feb. 25, 1918. Members of the Republican Club of the City of New York, New York Athletic Club, and Masonic Club of the City of New York, are invited to attend the funeral services, which will be held at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon, Feb. 28, in the Renaissance Room, Masonic Temple, 46 West 24th St., New York City. Chicago papers please copy.

TAMAGNO.—John D., suddenly, Feb. 25, at his home, 12 Bolton Road, New York City. Funeral St. Ignatius's Church, 84th St. and Park Av., Wednesday, 11 A. M. Interment family plot.

THEINERT.—On Monday, Feb. 25, Ann Theinert. Funeral from her late residence, 518 48th St., Brooklyn, on Wednesday, Feb. 27, 8:30 A. M., thence to St. Michael's Church, where a solemn mass of requiem will be sung.

WIGMAN.—Suddenly, on Feb. 25, 1918, George A., son of Cora and the late Charles W. Wigman. Funeral services at the residence of V. E. Dessart, 686 St. Mark's Av., Brooklyn, on Wednesday evening, at 8:30. Interment private.

WILSON.—Robert T., on Feb. 25, at his home in Saddle River, Robert T. Wilson, son of the late Philip L. and Rachel E. Wilson, in his 44th year. Funeral services will be held at the Dutch Reformed Church at Upper Saddle River, N. J., on Thursday, Feb. 28, at 3 P. M. Carriages will meet train at Allendale, Erie Railroad, train leaving New York at 1 P. M.

WITHERBEE.—Alice Hanson, Monday morning, at her home, 1,406 Union St. Funeral private, Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 27, at 4 o'clock. Kindly omit flowers. Boston papers please copy.

BEHRMANN.—John H., 832 East 226th St., Feb. 24. Funeral tomorrow.

BERMAN.—Kelve, 76 East 7th St., Feb. 24, aged 52.

BOETJER.—Henry, Feb. 25, aged 68. Funeral, 161 8th Av.

BRAUNESBURG.—Ernest, Feb. 24, aged 48. Funeral, 161 8th Av.

BRENNAN.—Mary, Roosevelt Hospital, Feb. 24, aged 77.

CARROLL.—Kate, 328 West 26th St., Feb. 25. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

CASSIDY.—Dennis, 209 East 31st St., Feb. 24. Funeral today.

CLARK.—James, 442 West 33d St., Feb. 24. Funeral today.

CLARKSON.—Margaret, 153 East 96th St., Feb. 25. Funeral tomorrow, 9 A. M.

COHEN.—Hyman, 21 East 113th St., Feb. 24, aged 50.

CONNOLLY.—Jeremiah, 408 East 158th St., Feb. 23. Funeral tomorrow, 10 A. M.

COUGHLIN.—Margaret, 15 East 119th St., Feb. 25. Funeral today.

COYLE.—Rose, 1,895 Lexington Av., Feb. 24.

CRENNAN.—Michael, 428 East 66th St., Feb. 24. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

CUNNINGHAM.—Michael, 522 Hudson St., Feb. 25. Funeral notice later.

DALEY.—Katherine T., 1,244 2d Av., Feb. 25, aged 64.

DERTINGER.—Joseph, 290 East 155th St., Feb. 24.

DOONAN.—Margaret V. M., 31 Madison St., Feb. 24.

DOWLING.—Mark, 390 Mott Av., Feb. 23. Funeral today.

FITZGERALD.—Kate, 343 East 22d St., Feb. 24, aged 84. Funeral today, 9 A. M.

FITZGERALD.—Margaret, 6 Rivington St., Feb. 24, aged 75.

FIZELLE.—Elizabeth, Feb. 25. Funeral 130 Greenwich Av., today, 2 P. M.

GAMTY.—Edward, 381 Park Av., Feb. 24, aged 61.

GRAFT.—Marie, 583 Tinton Av., Bronx, Feb. 25, aged 58.

HYLAND.—Peter, 513 West 158th St., Feb. 25.

JOHNSTONE.—Ada L., 229 West 43d St., Feb. 24, aged 28.

JOH.—Friedericka, 1,218 Evergreen Av., Bronx, Feb. 24, aged 82. Funeral today, 10 A. M.

KELLY.—John J., 420 East 67th St., Feb. 25. Funeral tomorrow, 9:30 A. M.

LENAHAN.—Annie, 319 West 124th St., Feb. 25. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

LEVY.—Dora, 446 East 84th St., Feb. 24, aged 80.

LYTTLETON.—Elizabeth, Bellevue Hospital, Feb. 25, aged 22.

McAULIFFE.—Jane, 2 Goerck St., Feb. 24. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

McGUIRE.—Hannah, 267 West 118th St., Feb. 25, aged 65. Funeral notice later.

MURTAGH.—Peter, 497 West 124th St., Feb. 24, aged 22.

PHILLIPS.—Isabella, Bellevue Hospital, Feb. 25, aged 45.

PULEY.—Anna, Feb. 24, aged 78. Funeral 268 8th Av., today, 1 P. M.

QUIGLEY.—William, 317 West 13th St., Feb. 25. Funeral tomorrow, 9:30 A. M.

RUSSELL.—Bridget, St. Rose's Hospital, Feb. 25, aged 51. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

SCHORNSTEIN.—Bertha, 23 West 119th St., Feb. 25, aged 65.

SIMMONS.—John A., Feb. 25, aged 73. Funeral 2,343 8th Av.

STADE.—Sarah, 26 East 47th St., Feb. 24, aged 48.

TEEVAN.—Julia, 241 East 24th St., Feb. 25. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

TOOHIG.—Mary M., 281 East 140th St., Feb. 25.

WARE.—Thomas, 124 East 126th St., Feb. 25. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

Brooklyn.

ARMSTRONG.—Elizabeth, 38 Floyd St., Feb. 25, aged 83. Funeral tomorrow, 9:30 A. M.

BLANK.—Meta, 321 Kingston Av., Feb. 25, aged 53. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

Died.

CAMPOS.—Mary, 5,409 3d Av., Feb. 23, aged 28. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

COCHRAN.—Annie, 20 Charlotte St., Feb. 24, aged 54.

CORRIGAN.—Mary A., 441A Classon Av., Feb. 25. Funeral tomorrow, 9:30 A. M.

CUTTS.—Mary E., 241 16th St., Feb. 25, aged 29. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

DOYLE.—Charles J., 75 Vanderbilt Av., Feb. 25. Funeral tomorrow, 9 A. M.

DUNNE.—Audrey A., 44 3d St., Feb. 24. Funeral today, 9 A. M.

FITZPATRICK.—Howard A., 420 Jefferson Av., Feb. 26. Funeral tomorrow, 10 A. M.

HEIDENRICH.—Alice, 1,658 Dean St., Feb. 25, aged 46. Funeral tomorrow, 9:30 A. M.

HILGER.—Frances E., 5,523 Fort Hamilton Av., Feb. 24.

INGARGIOLA.—Frank, 52 Delmonico Place, Feb. 24, aged 56.

JREUSSER.—Amelia O., 595 10th St., Feb. 25. Funeral private.

McCLIMONT.—William M., 1,049 Bergen St., Feb. 26. Funeral March 1, [illegible]

McKAY.—James H., 565 Herkimer St., Feb. 25, aged 80. Funeral today, 2:30 P. M.

McLAUGHLIN.—George, 271 Linden St., Feb. 25. Funeral tomorrow, 9 A. M.

MAGILL.—Rose, 235 Ainslie St., Feb. 25. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

MAHER.—Catherine, 211 Butler St., Feb. 25, aged 67.

MARVIN.—Eliza, 49 South Oxford St., Feb. 25, aged 96. Funeral tomorrow, 11 A. M.

NEARY.—Bridget, 635 Sterling Place, Feb. 24. Funeral today.

PIGOT.—Michael, 16 Evans St., Feb. 24.

SAMUELSON.—Hans, 4th Av. and 68th St., Feb. 24, aged 34. Funeral private.

SHEA.—Patrick, 23 Poplar St., Feb. 25. Funeral notice later.

SLESSOR.—Matthew, 187 Butler St., Feb. 24. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

VAIL.—Lillie, Feb. 26. Funeral 305 Adams St., tomorrow.

WALSH.—Marie, 237 Argyle Road, Feb. 25. Funeral today.

Hoboken, Jersey City, and Newark.

BALZER.—Ernestine, 286 Whiton St., Jersey City, Feb. 24. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

BASSETT.—Levenia L., 140 High St., Newark, Feb. 25.

BENAD.—Sebastien, 512 Synes St., West Hoboken, Feb. 25, aged 78. Funeral today, 3 P. M.

BRADLEY.—Anna M., 242 6th St., Jersey City, Feb. 26.

BUHRER.—Charles E., 625 South 19th St., Newark, Feb. 25.

BURKE.—Michael, 774 Newark Av., Jersey City, Feb. 24. Funeral today, 9 A. M.

CONNORS.—Deborah, 512 Summit Av., Jersey City, Feb. 25.

COOK.—Maud A., 724 Ridge St., Newark, Feb. 24.

DEL VECCHIO.—Philip, Newark, Feb. 24.

DEVLIN.—Thomas J., 249 Duncan Av., Jersey City, Feb. 24. Funeral tomorrow, 9 A. M.

FAULHABER.—Pauline, 175 Bowers St., Jersey City, Feb. 24. Funeral today, 9 A. M.

FRITTS.—Kathryn, 13 Tentman St., Newark, Feb. 25, aged 24. Funeral tomorrow, 8:30 A. M.

FULTON.—Margaret, 612 Bramhall Av., Jersey City, Feb. 25. Funeral today, 1:30 P. M.

GREENE.—Edward, 559 Newark Av., Jersey City, Feb. 25. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

MAGER.—William L., 628 South 20th St., Newark, Feb. 23. Funeral today, 8 A. M.

MARTIN.—Charles W., 101 Tuers Av., Jersey City, Feb. 25.

MORRISON.—James C., 159 Peshine Av., Newark, Feb. 23, aged 65. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

NORTON.—Catherine, 318 Woodward St., Jersey City, Feb. 25.

OLIVER.—Arthur D., 48 Stanton St., Newark, Feb. 24 aged 77. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

OSBORNE.—John W., 22 Nye Av., Newark, Feb. 24, aged 71.

OTTEN.—Frances R., 202 Newark St., Newark, Feb. 28. Funeral today, 9.45 A. M.

PULVER.—Charles H., 95A Glenwood Av., Jersey City, Feb. 24.

ROBINSON.—Emeline, 68 Halleck St., Newark, Feb. 24.

SANDERS.—Sophia, 44 11th Av., Newark, Feb. 24, aged 86. Funeral today, 9 A. M.

TOMPKINS.—William B., 858 South 18th St., Newark, Feb. 24. Funeral today.

TURNER.—Laurence T., 102 Fleming Av., Newark, Feb. 28. Funeral today, 8 A. M.

Long Island.

BANTA.—Henry B., Amityville, Feb. 25, aged 77. Funeral today, 2:30 P. M.

BAUER.—Barbara, Elmhurst, Feb. 25. Funeral tomorrow.

BOGGIANO.—Mary, Rockaway Beach, Feb. 25. Funeral tomorrow.

HOLLER.—Lulu, Long Island City, Feb. 23, aged 22. Funeral today, 2:30 P. M.

L'HOMMEDIEU.—Zillah W., Islip, Feb. 25. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

TYNAN.—Josephine A., Corona, Feb. 24. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

In Memoriam.

ROCHE.—A month's mind requiem mass for the repose of the soul of the late John Doherty Roche will be said on Thursday, Feb. 28, at 9 o'clock, at the Church of St. Paul the Apostle, 60th St. and Columbus Av.

McLAUGHLIN.—Elizabeth, mass St. Mary's Church, Jersey City, today, 8 A. M.

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Article Characterizes Those Who Say Germany Cannot Be Beaten as "Spies and Asses."

Copies of the first issue of The Stars and Stripes, the official newspaper of the American Expeditionary Force in France, have arrived in this country. It came out for the first time on Feb. 8 and will be issued regularly on Fridays.

In size and makeup it is a typical metropolitan newspaper. The sheets are about an inch longer and half an inch narrower than those of THE NEW YORK TIMES, and the first number was of eight pages and carried fourteen columns of American, English, and French advertisements.

It is a real newspaper in its news contents. It covers the Expeditionary Force in its news columns very thoroughly. Its spirit is noticeably more cheerful than that of most newspapers. It gives the impression that the Expeditionary Force is a lighthearted organization. On its editorial page is addresses a word of advice to gloomy people at home. Under the headline "To the Folks Back Home," it says:

"We hear that you have been regaled with some alarming stories about us of the A. E. F. and our conduct here in France. In fact, some of these stories have been relayed to us, and if they weren't so far from the truth we might be inclined to get really mad. But knowing the authors of some of them—for some of the hysterical stripe have really been over nere—our first inclination is to laugh.

"But, after all, it's no laughing matter to be talked about behind our backs in such a reckless and irresponsible way by reckless and irresponsible people, though, no doubt, some of them have the best intentions in the world and think that they, and they alone, can save us. (They have probably told you that and asked you to contribute money to their worthy cause, haven't they?) What hurts most, though we know you are loyal to us and have the firmest of faith in us, perhaps these dire tales have caused you some anxiety and even brought you to believe that perhaps, after all, we had become a bit neglectful of our trust; and that, so believing, you might have been sorely and entirely unduly distressed in spirit.

"Be assured that these sensational stories are nothing but myths. Absolutely nothing else. And we have the facts that prove they are."

The article then compares some of the sensational stories with figures which prove that drinking and immorality is the "smallest percentage on record for any army."

The first page displays a large picture of Gen. Pershing with his greetings to the readers.

One of the stories which is given an important position on the first page is headed, "Men on Leave Not to be Led Around by Hand," and sub-headed, "Impression That They Will Be Chaperoned Wholly Erroneous." This described plans, formed with the aid of [illegible] Y. M. C. A., to send groups of men [illegible] leave to the watering place of Aix-les-Bains, in Savoy, and to other resorts.

A long article is printed on the mammoth warehouses which are being built at the American base in France. This describes the plans for what is to be the greatest refrigerating plant in the world.

An editorial on the pests who say that Germany cannot be beaten is headed "Spies and Asses," and says:

"Beware of the man who, no matter what his uniform, no matter what his nationality, comes to you with tales of Germany's invincibility, prophesies that 'the war will end in a draw,' and so forth. If he is saying such things on his own account he is a German propagandist, a spy, a paid liar, and should be reported and punished as such. If he is repeating them second hand he is nothing but an ass, a dupe of some real propagandist, and he should be reported and punished just the same."

The Stars and Stripes heartily commends the Young Men's Christian Association in an editorial for its decision not to accept as workers in France any more men who are eligible for military service. It says:

"The spectacle of a man of draft age, undeniably husky and fit for active service, situated behind a counter during working hours and when off duty enjoying all the privileges and often wearing much of the insignia of an officer when he had not been through the training and made the sacrifices to entitle him to such treatment, has more than once galled the feelings of an enlisted man."

The price is 50 centimes a copy. A three months' subscription costs the soldier four francs and the civilian five francs. Communications should be addressed to The Stars and Stripes, Press Division, G. H. Q., A. E. F., France.

The following are on the staff of the publication: Editorial, Guy T. Vishniskki, 2d Lieut., Inf.; Charles P. Cushing, 2d Lieut., U. S. M. C. R. Corps; Hudson Hawley, Private, M. G. Bn.; A. A. Wallgren, 1st Lieut., Inf., U. S. R.

SAY SHONTS EARNED BONUS.

Move to Dismiss City's Suit Against Interborough for Recovery.

Supreme Court Justice Lehman heard argument yesterday on a motion to dismiss suits brought by the city for the recovery of $210,000 in bonuses paid by the Interborough Rapid Transit Company to employes and $1,990,000 allowed to the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company as a rebate on a $40,000,000 bond issue.

Of the bonuses paid by the Interborough Theodore P. Shonts, President of the company, received $50,000; Richard R. Rogers, an attorney for the company, received $50,000, and the company's auditor received $10,000. The suit grew out of the disclosures before the Thompson Investigating Committee.

John B. Stanchfield of counsel for the Interborough, said that the bonuses were paid as a reward for four years of the hardest kind of labor in connection with the dual contracts. He contended that the city had no jurisdiction in the matter, and William L. Ransom, chief counsel of the Public Service Commission, who joined in the motion to dismiss, made the same point.

Nathan L. Miller, on behalf of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, argued that the allowance made to that company was simply a matter of bookkeeping, and that no one lost a penny by the transaction. Decision was reserved.

Dinner for Jewish Soldiers.

One hundred young Jews of New York City and Philadelphia, British subjects, who have enlisted in the British Army and will go to the Holy Land to fight the Hun, were entertained at a farewell dinner last night at the Hotel Imperial by the Zionist Lunch Club. The men were sworn in yesterday at the British and Canadian recruiting mission offices and will leave today for an Atlantic port.

Dr. Reinsch Starts on Vacation.

PEKING, Feb. 21, (Delayed.)—Dr. Paul S. Reinsch, the American Minister, has gone to Tsing-tao to take passage for Manila for recreation.

FRIEDA HEMPEL SINGS.

Large Audience Applauds Soprano in Her Varied Program.

Frieda Hempel, having finished a Metropolitan engagement and set out on her own concert tour, returned yesterday in her journey from Boston to San Francisco to be welcomed by a large matinée audience at Carnegie Hall. Her program departed more widely than in former years from the classic song recital as New York has known it since Marcella Sembrich established this artistic form of entertainment at its best. Mme. Hempel, not content with the older Italian opera airs now heard in concert alone, such as the romanza and cavatina from Rossini's "Otello" that led her list, had chosen to alternate with later groups of songs two arias sung by other coloratura sopranos in the last few weeks, the "Shadow Song" from Meyerbeer's "Dinorah" and the aria, "Qui la Voce," from Bellini's "I Puritani."

Mme. Hempel may find and doubtless has found outside New York, in cities where the operas themselves are not sung, a sharper appetite for this sort of mixed pickles, hardly to be matched on Broadway today save in a Metropolitan popular Sunday night bargain bill, or a concert of frankly personal display like Mme. Galli-Curci's at the Hippodrome. The infection of the personal element of prima dona rivalries proved unfortunate, in one case even disastrous, while the other came perilously near a breach of the esprit de corps that should obtain between members of the same Metropolitan company. Mme. Hempel's "Shadow Song" was a hard and fast performance that challenged vainly its recent hearing on the Chicago Opera Company's tour.

The "Dinorah" air was followed by one in German, a language almost as rare in concert as in opera now, the "Schlafe, Mein Kindlein," sometimes attributed to Mozart, and that by a Scandinavian selection, In Jenny Lind's Norwegian "Cattle Call," the singer was heard to better effect, her voice warming out of a thin, nasal quality that marred some of her numbers. She gave in English a pair of Irish folktunes, "I Know Where I'm Going" and "I Know My Love," as well as "Daddy's Sweetheart," by Liza Lehman. Her "Puritani" aria she followed with "Comin' Through the Rye" and "Home, Sweet Home."

Among earlier groups were Mendelssohn's "On Wings of Song," Tschaikowsky's "Cradle Song," Rimsky-Korsakoff's "Rose and Nightingale," and Taubert's "Bird Song." Mme. Hempel, handsomely gowned in blue satin brocade, appeared on a brilliantly lighted stage set with Spring flowers. Richard Hageman of the Metropolitan assisted at the piano.

"LE COQ D'OR" IS COMING.

Latest Novelty at the Metropolitan Next Wednesday—Other Bills.

The Metropolitan will produce on Wednesday of next week Rimsky-Korsakoff's "Le Coq d'Or," the eighth of Mr. Gatti's novelties and revivals this season. Barrientos, Braslau, Didur, Diaz, and Ruysdael will be a singing cast beyond any that this choral ballet has enlisted abroad, while a duplicate set of characters acted by Galli, Bolm, Bartik, and others will replace the Russian dancers. The scenes and costumes are by Pogany, the chorus and orchestra under Setti and Monteux.

Alma Gluck will sing at the Metropolitan concert next Sunday. Caruso will appear Monday in "Manon Lescaut," with Alda and Amato, and Thursday, with Matzenauer, in "Samson et Dalila." "Carmen" occurs a sixth time Friday with Farrar, Miller, Martinelli, and Whitehill, and "Aida" a seventh time at the Saturday matinée, with Muzio, Homer, Kingston, Amato, and Rothier.

"Puritani," recently revived, will be sung on Saturday evening of next week at the Brooklyn Academy, with the Broadway cast, Barrientos, Perini, Lazaro, De Luca, and Mardones.

MARJORIE RAMBEAU HURT.

Star of "The Eyes of Youth" Breaks Her Leg While Skating.

Marjorie Rambeau, star of "The Eyes of Youth," fell on the ice while skating at St. Nicholas Rink yesterday afternoon and was taken to St. Luke's Hospital with a compound fracture of the leg. Late last night it was said that it was as yet impossible to determine the seriousness of the injury, but that X-ray photographs would be taken this morning. In the event that the fractures are clean, it was stated, Miss Rambeau will be up and about in a few weeks. The leg was broken in three places.

Miss Rambeau's mother said that her daughter was wearing a kind of skate to which she was unaccustomed, and that she tripped and fell, with her leg beneath her. An understudy, Norma Winslow, acted Miss Rambeau's rôle last night at the Maxine Elliott Theatre.

VAN DYKE'S SON INSTALLED.

Father Preaches Sermon as New Pastor Assumes Duties.

The Rev. Tertius van Dyke was installed last night as pastor of the Park Avenue Presbyterian Church. His father, the Rev. Dr. Henry van Dyke, former United States Minister to the Netherlands, preached the sermon, and after the service he stood beside his son and received members of the congregation.

Dr. Henry van Dyke took for his text "Look Unto Jesus," and he pleaded for loyalty to God and country. He denounced Germany for her conduct in the war, and declared that it was America's task to take up the sword, not for conquest, but for right. He said that while the Christian Church was not warlike, there was a time when it was righteous to draw the sword, and having drawn it, to use it to the end that righteousness might prevail.

Dr. Tertius van Dyke succeeds the Rev. Charles W. Welch, who a year ago accepted a pastorate in Louisville. The new pastor has been assisting the Rev. Charles Wood in Washington. Previous to that he spent a year at The Hague and assisted his father in Belgian relief work.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

The next attraction at the Cohan Theatre will be "Toot! Toot!" which will begin its engagement on the night of Monday, March 11. The piece is a musicalization of Rupert Hughes's farce, "Excuse Me," and is the work of Edgar Allan Woolf, Berton Braley, and Jerome Kern.

Louis Hirsch and Henry Blossom have been engaged to write the music and lyrics, respectively, of the show in which Weber and Fields will be seen here this Spring. The book is the work of Frank Stammers.

A professional matinee of "The Copperhead" will be given at the Shubert Theatre next Monday.

Adolf Philipp will return to the stage of the German Yorkville Theatre a week from Saturday night in "Oh, Emilia," a musical farce of his own authorship.

The Other Players, under the direction of Alfred Kreymborg and Julian Freedman, will give performances at the theatre of the Provincetown Players, at 139 Macdougal Street, on the nights of March 18, 19, 20, and 21.

Rehearsals of "Rock-a-Bye Baby," the musical version of "Baby Mine," will begin today.

Bessie McCoy, recently seen at the Century, will enter vaudeville in the near future.

Brandon Tynan, now acting in "Success," will talk on "Robert Emmett" before the members of the Comedy-Drama Club, at the Hotel Astor on Monday afternoon.

A performance to be given on Friday night at the Lenox Little Theatre, 52 East Seventy-eighth Street, will embrace Shaw's "Dark Lady of Sonnets" and "Woolngs and Witches," by Lucine Finch and Vida Sutton. The proceeds will be devoted to the Finch School Day Nursery.

Laura Hope Crews has been engaged for a role in the new Cyril Harcourt comedy, "Petticoats."

A second company of "Flo-Flo," the musical comedy at the Cort, will begin a road tour in Stamford on March 8.

FOOD BOARD FIXES PRICE OF MATZOTHS

Retail Price of Jewish Ritual Bread Will Be 13 to 14 Cents a Pound.

END PROFITEERING, IS AIM

Increased Cost Said to be Due to Advance in Flour and Labor—Lunchrooms Again Warned.

To prevent profiteering in matzoths, the ritual bread which is eaten exclusively by the Jewish population during the Passover season, the Federal Food Board yesterday issued regulations which practically fixed the retail price at 13 to 14 cents a pound. This quotation is based on a price to the retailer from the jobber of from 11¼ cents to 12¼ cents a pound, and the price to the jobbers is based upon the manufacturers' price of 10½ to 11¼ cents a pound.

James Meehan, manager of Dolan's restaurant, on Nassau Street, near Beekman, was before the Food Board yesterday, charged with failing to observe the wheatless and meatless days. Meehan said that it was hard for him to come up to the regulations as the restaurant served principally beef and beans, or ham and beans, and the customers expected either beef or ham with beans and would not be satisfied with anything else. Meehan, with the consent of P. A. Johann, Director of the Complaint Bureau, promised to serve tongue in the place of beef and ham on Tuesdays and Saturdays. It was said that Hitchcock's restaurant on Park Row will be asked to substitute tongue for beef and ham on meatless days.

The Federal Food Board sent a final warning yesterday to lunchrooms which have been violating the food regulations, notifying them that they would have until next Tuesday to comply with regulations.

The Federal Food Board will today discuss the local situation with reference to popularizing the twelve-ounce bread loaf, which Food Administrator Hoover recently authorized the bakers to produce, hoping to reach an agreement on the price of the new loaf.

The Federal Food Board has exonerated Greenhut & Co. from any conscious intention to disregard some of the minor regulations of the Food Administration, such as failing to have their Food Administration license number appear on billheads and selling sugar at retail in quantities in excess of five pounds. The board decided that the alleged violations were oversights due to clerical carelessness, which the firm would correct.

RAISES PARCEL POST LIMIT.

Maximum Weight Increased to Aid Shipment of Farm Products.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—As a means of stimulating movement of farm products to the consumer Postmaster General Burleson today increased the allowable weights of parcel post packages, effective March 15.

Packages when mailed in the first or second zones for delivery in the first, second, or third zones, may thereafter be as heavy as 70 pounds. They now are restricted to 50. The weight limit for all other zones was increased from 20 to 50 pounds.

NEGROES HEAR MRS. GOULD.

Former Wife of Howard Gould Urges Election of Rev. R. C. Ransom

At a meeting of 3,000 negroes called in Harlem last night to aid the campaign of the Rev. R. C. Ransom, Independent Depublican candidate for Congress in the Twenty-first Congressional District, Mrs. Kathrine Clemmons Gould, formerly Mrs. Howard Gould, said that "any negro voter who failed to cast his ballot for Dr. Ransom was a traitor to his race."

Mrs. Gould, who has been engaged in suffrage work as a member of the Woman's Party and a White House picket, was the only woman speaker at the meeting. She said the election of the negro candidate would be a step toward better democracy and that the negro voter should try to break up the "solid South" and to bring more education, enlightenment, and political privileges to the negroes there.

"When you go to the polls on March 5 you must not let the white politicians beguile you," she said. "You must vote together for the welfare of your race." In conclusion, Mrs. Gould asked for contributions to a fund to be used on the special election day "to keep the polls clean." She contributed $100 and the total was $160. No plans for spending the money were made.

The 3,000 negroes who filled the Rush Memorial Methodist Church known as African Mother Zion, in 138th Street, near Seventh Avenue, applauded Mrs. Gould loudly. They voted her their thanks, and when she left the church hundreds shook her hands. All the other speakers were negroes.

BOYS FIND "SPY MAPS."

Mysterious Drawings Turned Over to Newark Police.

George Cooper, 17 years old, of 27 Davis Avenue, Harrison, N. J., and Ernest Camper, 18 years old, of 162 Pacific Street, Newark, turned over to the Newark police yesterday four crudely drawn maps which they said they had found in a tin box, at the bottom of a hole covered by logs, at a lonely spot in the meadows about a mile south of the Lincoln Highway.

The boys said they found the hole while they were hunting muskrats, and on opening the box discovered the maps, which they thought had been drawn by German spies and hidden. They said they found across on adjoining trees giving the clue to the location of the plans. The police found that the maps appeared to indicate the location of shipbuilding and chemical plants in and around Newark.

FIGHTS ELECTRIC RATE CUT.

Flatbush Company Declares New Price Confiscatory.

The Flatbush Gas Company served notice on the Public Service Commission yesterday that the order that the company reduce its rates for electric current from twelve to ten cents on March 1 and make further reductions until the rate was eight cents, would be confiscatory and that it would not be obeyed and demanded a rehearing. Commissioner Hervey said another hearing would probably be given at an early date so as not to delay the reduction.

H. E. McGowan, secretary of the company, filed a statement with the Commission that no profit had been earned by the company in its gas business and that its profit on electric current had been practically wiped out by the increased cost of labor and materials.

The reduction order came after a fight lasting five years. The company insisted that it could not sell current at less than twelve cents. Among the petitioners asking for a reduction were many civic organizations.

ELECTRICAL MEN TALK WAR.

Need of Ships Topic of Paper Read for Major Palmer.

The eleventh war meeting of the New York Electrical Society was held last night at the Engineering Societies Building, 29 West Thirty-ninth Street. The principal feature was a paper by Major Frederick Palmer of General Pershing's Staff, read by T. C. Martin, a Vice President of the society. The paper pointed out that ships were a vital necessity, and that Congress should not hesitate over appropriations.

Motion pictures taken in France showed scenes of devastation and also the English and French troops in action. Other speakers were Captain Alexander Macomber and Major A. B. Kratz.

Amherst to Give War Smoker.

The Amherst Association will hold a patriotic smoker at the Waldorf tonight. The speakers will be Will Irwin, Captain Arthur Rudd, who was in Russia in 1917 as special assistant to the American Ambassador, and Professor John Mason Tyler of the college, who will give the records of the 700 Amherst men in military service. George Barry Mallon, President of the association, will preside.

ENLISTED MEN PROMOTED.

List of Temporary Warrant Officers Issued by Secretary Daniels.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Secretary Daniels today made public the names of 171 enlisted men of the navy who have been promoted to be temporary warrant officers. The promotions follow:

TO BE BOATSWAINS.

Messier, H. J.
Olsen, S. E.
Nystrom, C. F.
Kupbens, H. J.
Johnson, D. E.
Limont, S.
Martin, F. F.
Sunding, C. M.
Ross, W. E.
Pates, W. C.
McDermott, E. F.
Smith, C.
Romberg, H. B.

Briggs, J. W.
Dyer, W. W.
Proulx, E. A.
Spahr, D. J.
Oregan, G.
Lee, O.
Uslig, F. P.
Calkins, R. A.
Horton, W. B.
Carlson, E.
Freund, W. F.
Ledoux, L. P.

TO BE BOATSWAINS, (AVIATION.)

Baker, A. E.
Davis, F. A.

O'Connor, C. J.
Welty, L. W.

TO BE MACHINISTS.

Harter, L. A.
Houston, L. C.
Nichols, M. R.
O'Brien, W.
Schnell, J.
McKiernan, E. J.
Nicolaisen, N.
Kelly, J. A.
Bushnell, A. M.
Green, D. B.
Liscomb, L. A.
Murray, W. J.
Conner, H. C.
O'Brien, P. W.
Carr, T. J.
Harrison, R.
Animon, A. A.
Jones, R. S.
Andwood, W. T.
Bandura, O. P.

Plank, A. C.
O'Brien, A.
Martin, D. E.
La Count, W. J.
Randall, H. J.
Evans, W. T.
Andress, W. N.
Neary, M. J.
Van Cleaf, H. M.
Murphy, C.
Bayer, J. J.
Beran, O.
Brown, G. W.
Collins, H. D.
Hale, I. W.
Sattler, H.
Stulb, A. E.
O'Heron, E. J.
Pomeroy, R. C.
Carter, F.

TO BE AVIATION MACHINISTS.

Hayes, A.
McGrail, T. E.

Tone, F. K.

TO BE ORDNANCE GUNNERS.

Small, T. A.
Williams, M.
Hoffman, C. F.
Marlin, C. A.
Gavan, T.
Jarzembowski, E. J.
Scherer, R. H.
Jonson, M. E.
Williams, G.
Tinen, T. J.
Blade, E. J.
Boore, P. L.
Hykes, J. H.
Liekweg, H.
Williamson, W.

Coogan, J. J.
Costello, J.
Gordon, J.
Haskins, C. W.
McCann, T. L.
Stephenson, J. C.
Stephenson, E. R.
Dillon, L. A.
Taylor, O. B.
Wintermute, E. A.
Brandtner, F. K.
Monnett, W. B.
Merdts, W. A.
Welfington, J. H.
Harrington, G. W.

TO BE ELECTRICAL GUNNERS.

Szehner, F. C.
Uhl, O. E.
Roca, F.
Newman, H. C.
Robinson, F.
Poole, R. A.
Stevens, E. E.
Montz, W. P.

Kendig, J. L.
Branham, C. G.
Nichols, L. H.
Hopkins, S.
McCarthy, W. M.
Mahanay, O. T.
Garrison, B. F.

TO BE RADIO GUNNERS.

Osborne, H.
Weigand, J. S.
Palmer, M. W.
Ryberg, S. A.
Fitting, C. J.

Abrams, H. M.
Marshall, T. A.
Berkowich, S. B.
Oversby, R. W.

TO BE CARPENTERS.

Bleeks, W. W.
Creeger, H. M.
Fitzmaurice, G. P.
Mechem, G. H.

Young, C. E.
O'Connor, W. B.
Dickerson, W. F.

TO BE PHARMACISTS.

Lindsley, B. F.
Zimmerman, R. O.
Van Epps, C. F.
Gorsuch, I. M.

Harris, H. F.
Gant, S. S.
Spearman, C. H.

TO BE ACTING PAY CLERKS.

Aulmann, G. L.
Hines, H. H.
Holland, H. M.
Weiss, P. J.
Aehenbach, W. J.
Gilbert, E. S.
Perkins, E. R.
MacDonald, J. J.
Schaeffer, C. W.
Hartup, H. C.
Gillen, H. J.
Converse, C. H.
Knoll, G. W.
Wood, W. G.
Robinson, D. M.

De Long, S.
Rockwell, W. S.
Skelton, W. O.
Sprengel, M. A.
Wallace, J. R.
Smith, L. I.
Stevens, G. A.
Kotva, J. F.
Muns, T. F.
Lindenmayer, L. L.
Upton, G. H.
Berry, C. R.
Ullman, S. R.
Davis, G. F.
Shaw, W. F.

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BURNS JOINS RANKS OF SIGNED PLAYERS

Giants' Veteran Outfielder Comes to Terms After an Interview with McGraw.

LEADER TO MAKE TRIP

Manager Going After Other Hold-outs of Team—Sallee Said to be in Fold.

George Burns, the Giants' left fielder, considered by Manager McGraw as one of the most valuable players on his club, signed his contract yesterday, thereby dispelling much gloom from the vicinity of the New York club offices. Burns had a long talk with President Hempstead and Manager McGraw, after which he stated that he was perfectly satisfied with the compromise which had been made over the salary question. McGraw said that Burns had been very fair about the matter and that there never had been the slightest friction in their relations.

Burns led the National League in scoring runs last season, with 103 to his credit. He was also among the .300 hitters, batting at an average of .302. He was second in base running, having 40 steals to his credit. Burns is considered as being one of the best lead-off men in the major leagues. He is one of the steadiest and most reliable players in the game and went for a stretch of more than three seasons without missing a single game.

Manager McGraw declared that he would start today to visit the other players who have failed to come to terms. It is said that one of the hold-outs—presumably Slim Sallee—has accepted terms and has mailed his contract to New York. McGraw suggested that an airship would be handier for him to get around to see his players in a hurry. He will go to Louisville to see Ferdie Schupp and while he is down that way he will call on Pol Perritt, who is at Greensville, S. C. He will have to jump out to Collinsville, Ind., to see Art Fletcher, and in between jumps will try to round up Davey Robertson and Jim Thorpe. As McGraw wants to get down to Texas during the next two weeks, he will have to spend much of his time on railroad trains.

The Giants have put in their order for next year's uniforms and the road colors will be Yale Blue with black trimmings, while the home uniforms will be the same as the club had in 1912. They will be of Colonial cream with wide blue stripes.

Frank K. Durning, one of Brooklyn's young pitchers, has signed his contract for next season. He joined Brooklyn in 1916 and played last season with the Montreal Club of the International League and the Portland Club of the Eastern Association.

While Ed Barrow will take the managerial reins of the Boston Red Sox when the club goes to Hot Springs, it is stated that the former leader of the International League is slated for a higher position, and just as soon as plans, which Manager Frazee has, materialize, Barrow will be elevated to the position of President of the club. It develops that Frazee has not yet given up hope of persuading Bill Carrigan to come back to Boston temporarily and lead the Red Sox until Jack Barry is available again.

It is stated that Barrow has been in communication with Carrigan and will try to tempt the former leader back to his old job for a while anyway. Frazee, it is stated, placed Barrow at the head of the club because of the keen competition among the players to be appointed to the job. Frazee wants to give up his time to other enterprises, so if Barrow is successful in getting Carrigan back, Frazee will probably retire as President and leave the affairs of the club in the hands of Barrow.

LOBERT TO COACH CADETS.

Giant Third Baseman Takes Charge of West Point Baseball.

Special to The New York Times.

WEST POINT, N. Y., Feb. 26.—Hans Lobert, formerly of the Giants and coach of the army baseball team, arrived here yesterday from Cuba to begin the season's work. Elmer Oliphant, Captain of the army nine, immediately issued a call for candidates, and 200 men, the biggest squad ever turned out for baseball at West Point, responded. Indoor and cage work has commenced. The first ten days will be given over to talks by Lobert explaining the system and what is expected from each man. The squad will get its first cut within a few days.

Lobert takes up a task which looks anything but encouraging. Two graduations last year made a big hole in the army's diamond forces both in the active personnel and the reserves. Oliphant, Murrill, Foster, Chadwick, Murray, Vidal and Shrader of last year's squad remain, but the army's inner and outer garden, as well as the pitcher's box, will be problems for the soldiers' new coach.

WRESTLING CARD ARRANGED

Promoters Make Up List of Preliminary Bouts.

Promoters of the wrestling match between Wladek Zbyszko and Joe Stecher, which will be held at Madison Square Garden Friday night, yesterday announced the program of preliminary bouts. The card shows three contests between the following: Charles Cutler of Chicago and Yusiff Hussane, the Balkan grappler, thirty minutes to a decision in the event that neither wrestler secures a fall; Hilmer Johnson and John Grandovitch; John Freburg and Tommy Draak.

Stecher left Chicago last night en route to this city, and upon his arrival will work at George Bothner's Gymnasium.

Wrestling Matches Tomorrow.

A series of three wrestling matches will be held at Grupp's Gymnasium, in West 116th Street, tomorrow night. In the principal bout Dr. B. J. Roller, the Seattle, Wash., veteran grappler, will oppose Yusiff Hussane. Another match will be between Renardo Gardini of Italy and George Manich, a Bavarian wrestler, and the third bout is between Soldier Frank Leavitt, U. S. Army champion, and Carl Bush.

Wisconsin Bars Boxer.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 26.—Bryan Downey, Chicago middleweight, was today suspended for sixty days by the Wisconsin Athletic Commission on a charge of having violated the rules of the commission by wrestling and "stalling" and refusing to heed the warning of the referee during his bout with Joe Eagan of Boston, Feb. 7.

Browns Sign Collegian.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 26.—Larry Benton, catcher on the University of Michigan team, and a former All-Western football end, has been signed by the St. Louis Nationals, President Branch Rickey said tonight. Benton had a tryout with the Chicago Nationals last Spring, but was released before the season opened.

Central League Owners to Meet.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Feb. 26.—Harry Stahlhefer, President of the Central League, today issued a formal call for a league meeting, to be held in Indianapolis March 3.

WANT A. A. U. MEN ABROAD.

Fifty Directors Sought for Supervising Army Athletics.

President Frederick W. Rubien of the Metropolitan Association of the A. A. U. yesterday announced the beginning of a campaign to enroll fifty men as Directors of army camp athletics abroad, under the supervision of the National War Work Council of the Y. M. C. A. President Charles A. Dean of the Amateur Athletic Union has appointed a committee taking in all sections of the country, and a canvass of the various districts will be made for the purpose of securing the required number of eligible candidates. Men of the highest type are wanted for the work, those who have been identified with administrative work of the A. A. U. being particularly desired. Applications for the positions must be in the hands of the A. A. U. officials not later than March 10.

Dr. George J. Fisher, Director of the National War Work Council of the Y. M. C. A., is directing the campaign and requests the assistance of the A. A. U. in securing men. The committee appointed by Mr. Dean will begin immediately the work of soliciting and accepting applications from qualified men in different sections of the country.

CUTLER AND BERKELEY TIE.

Hockey Teams Wage a 2 to 2 Draw and Remain Tied in Standing.

Hockey teams of Berkeley-Irving School and Cutler School, which are tied for second place in the Manhattan private schools Hockey League race, battled to a 2-to-2 draw last night in the St. Nicholas Rink in their effort to break the deadlock in the standing. The game went to an extra period of five minutes, and when no decisive result was reached it was decided to call the game a draw and replay it in the near future. Competition in the league has been progressing since the beginning of the year, and last night's tie was the first tie game of the tournament.

The lineup:

Berk.-Irv., (2.)	Position.	Cutler, (2.)
Silz	G.	Harbold
Joyce	P.	Turck
McAleenan	C. P.	MacPherson
Fish	C.	Nathan
Byrne	L. W.	Brawner
Hunt	R. W.	Squire

Goals—First half—For Cutler: MacPherson, 2. Second half—For Berkeley-Irving: Hunt, Byrne. Referee—William Snall, Wanderers Hockey Club. Time of periods—Fifteen minutes.

HOCKEY LEADERS TO PLAY.

Pitt Seven and Wanderers Will Meet Again Tonight.

Herbert Drury and the unbeaten Pittsburgh A. A. seven will face the Wanderers' Hockey Club again tonight at the St. Nicholas Ice Rink. If Pitt seven can win this evening it will give them twenty straight victories for the Winter.

The Wanderers will be in better shape than they were on Monday. McCarty's injured leg is coming around nicely. The local seven hopes to have the honor of being the first team to humble the Pittsburgh aggregation.

Tonight's lineup:

Wanderers.	Position.	Pittsburgh.
Lewis	G.	Fuller
Dufresne	P.	Madden
McCarty	C. P.	Nagle
Roach	R.	Drury
Smith	C.	L. McCormick
Crovat	L. W.	J. McCormick
McKinnon	R. W.	McCrimmon

HORACE MANN FIVE VICTOR.

Assumes Lead Early and Beats Columbia's Freshmen, 25 to 11.

Horace Mann School's basket ball quintet triumphed over the Columbia University freshmen in convincing fashion in the Columbia gymnasium yesterday by the score of 25 to 11. The Horace Mann passers maintained a comfortable lead from the start of the contest and easily outplayed the freshman team. At the end of the first half the score favored Horace Mann by 13 to 5. Eder, with three goals from the floor and five foul tallies, furnished the star play on the victorious team.

The lineup:

H. Mann, (25.)	Position.	Col. Fresh, (11.)
Eder	L. F.	Horowitz
Cushman	R. F.	Stone
Pulleyn	C.	Condon
Marks	L. G.	Ulman
Burbridge	R. G.	Schaeffer

Field goals—Eder, (3,) Schaeffer, (2,) Cushman, Pulleyn, (2,) Marks, Burbridge, Horowitz, Stone, (2,) Ulman, Walton. Foul goals—Eden, (5,) Condon. Substitutions—For Howard Mann: Schaeffer for Eder, Howard for Cushman, Eder for Pulleyn, Cushman for Burbridge. For Columbia Freshmen: Walton for Schaeffer. Referee—E. Thorn, De La Salle Institute. Time of halves—Fifteen minutes.

MANHATTAN FIVE WINNER.

Cathedral Defeated in Basket Ball Game, 27 to 17.

The playing of Houlihan and Winters for Manhattan College last night helped that basket ball team overwhelm the Cathedral College five by 27 to 17, in a game played at Manhattan. McCoy, for the losers, put up a good contest, but was held in check most of the time by the Manhattan guards.

The lineup:

Manhattan, (27.)	Position.	Cathedral, (17.)
Houlihan	R. F.	Davitt
Winters	L. F.	McCoy
Zurmahlen	C.	Hayes
Noonan	R. G.	Clark
Retaleato	L. G.	Delaney

Field goals—Houlihan, (2,) Winters, Zurmahlen, (2,) Noonan, Retaleato, (2,) Davitt, McCoy, (2,) Hayes, Delaney, Scully. Foul goals—Winters, (9,) Davitt, (5.) Substitution—Scully for Hayes. Referee—Ed Thorp, De La Salle. Time of halves—Twenty minutes.

TIGERS BEAT GREEN FIVE.

Princeton Triumphs at Basket Ball by 24 to 11.

HANOVER, N. H., Feb. 26.—Princeton defeated Dartmouth, by a score of 24 to 11, in an Intercollegiate League basket ball game here tonight.

YALE CLUB BEATS TIGERS.

Squash Tennis Experts Score a 4 to 3 Victory Over Princeton.

The Yale Club squash tennis players just managed to nose out a victory over the Princeton Club team on the Yale Club courts yesterday by a score of 4 to 3 in the Metropolitan League Class B team matches. Several spirited contests marked the event, which was not decided until the last contest of the series. This was between R. Monks of the Princeton Club and F. M. Blodget of the Yale Club.

The summaries:

H. R. Mixsell, Princeton Club, defeated W. Adams, Yale Club, 15—9, 17—15; E. J. Clapp, Yale Club, defeated Lieutenant Edward Ellsworth, Princeton Club, 15—8, 15—10; J. C. Tomlinson, Jr., Yale Club, defeated G. Graham, Princeton Club, 14—18, 15—7, 15—5; Dr. A. D. Mittendorf, Princeton Club, defeated R. A. Grannis, Yale Club, 15—8, 15—7; A. G. Blaisdell, Yale Club, won from G. E. Harvey, Princeton Club, by default; F. M. Blodget, Yale Club, defeated R. Monks, Princeton Club, 15—6, 15—3.

Doig Is Squash Tennis Victor.

James Doig, holder of the squash tennis championship of the Crescent Athletic Club, defeated Harry McGowan in the club team series yesterday by a score of 12-15, 15-8, 15-6. McGowan put forth a clever contest and forced Doig to show his best quality of play in order to earn the victory.

PIPING ROCK HUNT MEETS CALLED OFF

Long Island Amateur Association Decides Not to Hold Races This Year.

The Piping Rock Racing Association, one of the newest and most important of the country's amateur organizations, has decided to abandon promotion of races at Locust alley until the end of the war. This decision was reached yesterday at a conference between the Directors of the Piping Rock Racing Association and the Piping Rock Country Club. The action follows closely upon that of the Rockaway Hunting Club at Cedarhurst, L. I., and in each instance similiar reasons are ascribed; a patriotic attitude by the officials of the club and the depletion in the ranks of members because of the war.

Nine of the twelve Directors of the organization are now in the country's service. In fact, members and officials have enlisted in such generous proportion that there is hardly a single branch of the service, either at home or abroad, where one cannot be found aiding the country in its present crisis. In deference to the loyalty of those members and officials who would not be able to participate in the organization's events, the decision has been made to abandon further local promotion of the sport until the absentees are able to participate.

The Piping Rock decision was announced by Frank Bryan of the National Steeplechase and Hunt Association, who on Monday made public the stand of the Rockaway Hunting Club. The latest action leaves only one club in the field for the promotion of the amateur steeplechase and flat races, the United Hunts Association, and there has as yet been no indication that this organization will cancel its dates.

It is not intended by the Piping Rock Association to abandon permanently the pursuit of its sport at Locust Valley. On the contrary, promotion of the sport on as large a scale as ever is planned under more favorable times. The members of both organizations are keenly interested in the amateur sport, and appreciate the part played by both organizations in the restoration of racing here and at other points. They entered the sport at a time when the outlook was darkest and the big tracks had closed their gates with but little prospect of reopening. The early efforts at Piping Rock were so solidly founded on the sport for sport's sake idea that there was no attempt at interference, even by the most energetic of racing's traducers.

While abandoning the promotion of the sport for the duration of the war, the Piping Rock Association has not discarded the more important of the season's fixtures. Actuated by a desire to perpetuate some of these events, the Race Committee has arranged to run several of the fixtures at other tracks.

Disposition of the Aspirant Plate for two-year-olds has already been made, the Maryland Jockey Club having consented to take over this fixture for this year. This race in the past has been one of the features of the Spring meeting at Locust Valley. Blanks for it were distributed several weeks ago. The race will be run at Pimlico during the Spring meeting, May 1 to May 17, and the original conditions will be continued. It is for horses owned by members of the Piping Rock Club, the Piping Rock Racing Association and those invited by the committee. A number of those who have already made nominations have consented to the transfer.

The Harbor Hill Cup, for three-year-olds, and the L. Stuart Wing Memorial Steeplechase, fixtures at the Locust Valley Fall meeting, have not been disposed of as yet.

CLOSE SCORES AT BELLEAIRE

Keen Play in First Round of Women's Golf Championship.

BELLEAIRE, Fla., Feb. 26.—Several close scores marked the play in the first round here today of the women's championship golf tournament. Results in the championship flight follow:

Mrs. C. E. Schell, Cincinnati, defeated Miss Harriette Shepard, Hartford, 3 and 1; Miss Helen Morrison, Pittsburgh, defeated Mrs. C. Neff, Cleveland, 7 and 5; Mrs. F. G. Jones, Memphis, defeated Mrs. Channing Weiles, Southbridge, Mass, 4 and 3; Mrs. G. K. Morrow, Great Neck, won by default from Miss E. Alford, Clearwater; Mrs. K. C. Allen, Winnipeg, won by default from Mrs. S. Ford, New York; Mrs. C. G. Alexander, Chicago, defeated Mrs. C. F. Bicknell, Indianapolis, by 2 up; Mrs. O. F. Woodward, New York, defeated Miss Florence Bradley, Chicago, 3 and 1.

MEETS FOR FORDHAM CUBS.

Freshman and Prep Athletes to Have Dual Games.

For the first time in many years the Fordham Freshman and Fordham Prep track teams will engage in several dual meets this season. This afternoon the Prep combination will oppose the Columbia Freshies, and a week from today the Maroon Cubs will meet their class rivals from Columbia. Both meets will take place in the Columbia gymnasium. Bernie Wefers, coach of the Fordham track teams, intends to enter both the 'Varsity and Prep athletes in several meets.

BILLIARD CHAMPION LOSES.

August Kieckhefer Is Beaten at Three Cushions by George Moore.

August Kieckhefer, the world's champion at three-cushion billiards, struck a snag last night when he played George Moore, a former title holder, in a match of the Interstate Three-Cushion Billiard League series, at Thum's Academy. The score in favor of Moore was 50 to 25. Moore played a masterly game, and only twice did Kieckhefer have a natural to shoot for after Moore missed.

Moore averaged better than one, finishing his string in forty-eight innings. The winner's high run was seven, whereas the loser's best effort netted him four. Kieckhefer represents Chicago in the league and Moore New York.

Tonight and tomorrow night Charles Ryder, the entrant from Akron, will play Moore in two league games.

WHITE WINNER WITH CUE.

New York Entrant Wins His First Game in Class A Event.

Special to The New York Times.

DETROIT, Feb. 26. — Charles E. White of Brooklyn celebrated his initial appearance in the Class A billiard tournament this afternoon by defeating Alex Elmslie of Milwaukee, 300 to 238, in forty-two innings. White showed to better advantage in close play and made several fine masse shots.

The score:

White—11 0 1 6 0 2 5 1 11 19 0 25 23 3 5 3 7 6 3 38 16 1 0 6 6 9 0 0 0 2 14 0 0 1 17 1 36 0 2 2 0 18—300. Innings, 42; average, 7 6-42; high runs, 25, 36, and 38.

Elmslie—0 5 2 0 0 4 0 3 0 39 1 0 0 7 16 0 5 4 7 1 1 4 22 7 16 1 0 9 3 14 5 0 7 4 21 0 2 0 16 0 0 2—238. Innings, 42; average, 6 28-42; high runs, 21, 22, and 39.

In the evening game Charles Heddon of Dowagiac, Mich., defeated T. Henry Clarkson of Boston by 300 to 184 in twenty-four innings.

The score:

Heddon—0 16 1 1 23 6 37 0 11 37 16 28 7 0 12 0 1 14 22 20 10 27 3 9—300. High run 37. Average—12 12-24.

Clarkson—12 1 6 4 0 3 4 2 8 14 20 27 12 2 8 37 3 2 6 0 8 5 5—184. High run 37. Average—8.

SHOEMAKER IS DEFEATED.

Beaten in Snooker Match at Doyle's by Roy Johnson, 125 to 122.

J. Howard Shoemaker, considered to be the greatest exponent of snooker pool in this country, met with the first defeat which has ever been registered against him in the handicap tournament at John Doyle's Academy last night. The amateur pocket billiard champion was beaten by Roy Johnson at the English game, a margin of only three points separating the men at the finish. Johnson, who played from a handicap of 35, scored a count of 125 while Shoemaker trailed at 122.

The match was one of the most sensational ever played in this city and kept a big gallery of spectators keenly interested. Twice during the contest the score was tied, but each time the break was in favor of Johnson, who forged ahead and forced Shoemaker to continue an uphill struggle. The first tie was at 50 points each. From that count Johnson went to the lead and rolled up an advantage of 30 points before Shoemaker could again get his stride. The second tie of the contest occurred at 95, but once more Johnson went to a slight lead.

Shoemaker at last broke loose with some clever shot making and almost had the match in hand when he was leading at 122 to 95. Johnson, however, battled with determination against what seemed to be inevitable defeat. Needing only three Shoemaker missed with every color ball on the table. Johnson, by combining perfect safety with clever shooting, counted a point here and there until he needed only 12 to run out his string. The black and the pink balls were left on the table and Johnson succeeded in snookering Shoemaker, from which position the latter scratched. This left Johnson only six to run, and he pocketed the six-count ball from an easy position for the match.

PLAN GOLF TEAM MATCHES.

Professionals' President Asks That Event Be Repeated.

Robert White, President of the Professional Golfers' Association, has written an open letter to Herbert Strong, Secretary of the association, suggesting that plans be made now for a repetition of the professional and amateur team matches, which were held so successfully last Summer over the course of four metropolitan clubs. White advises several changes.

He suggests that the Scotch and English professionals be combined as one team to play against the amateurs and the home-bred professionals; that the event be played in two sections, one in the East and the other in the West, with one day of matches at New York, one at Boston, and one at Philadelphia for the East, and one day at Chicago, one at Detroit, and one in Cleveland for the West; that all the moneys raised be given to the Red Cross; that medal play tournaments be held for home-bred professionals and for foreign-born players, and the two leaders in each event be delegated to play exhibitions about the country in aid of war relief funds, and that large amounts should be raised through these exhibitions.

OFFERS $100,000 FOR BOUT.

New Orleans Club Would Match Willard and Fulton.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 26.—The Louisiana Auditorium Athletic Club, before which Fred Fulton of Rochester, Minn., last night knocked out Frank Moran of Pittsburgh, tonight telegraphed Jess Willard, heavyweight champion, at Jacksonville, Fla., an offer of a purse of $100,000 for a fight between Willard and Fulton.

It was stipulated that the fight must be for twenty rounds. The purse would be divided in any way agreeable to the principals.

Fulton announced tonight that he was "ready and waiting" to meet the champion.

Game for New Moon Five.

The Crescent Athletic Club's basket ball quintet will engage the sailors of Pelham Bay Naval Training Station in a game on the New Moon court in Brooklyn this evening. The contest is scheduled to start at 8:30 o'clock.

PRINCETON DEFEATS COLUMBIA IN TANK

Tiger Watermen Are Victors in Dual Meet by 44 to 8—Blue and White Wins at Polo.

Princeton swimmers won the return dual meet with the Columbia watermen, held in the Morningside Heights pool last night, by the score of 44 to 8. Columbia obtained some balm for the defeat in the races by overwhelming the Princetonians in the water polo game by 32 to 8.

Johnson and Harris, the short-distance swimmers of the visitors, were the outstanding stars of the meet. Columbia had no entrant who could match the speed of the Tigers, and it was no trouble at all for Johnson to win both the 50 and 100 yard swims and for Harris to get second place in each event.

In the furlong swim, Twitchell of Princeton and Rogers of Columbia swam a dead heat for first place. The judges debated as to the winner, so close was the finish, and were unable to reach any decision. Mable of Columbia was third in this event.

Columbia had no entry in the diving contest, as Howard, the Blue and White expert, was unable to take part. Columbia failed to gain a first place outside of the tie in the furlong and was sadly left behind in the relay contest.

The summaries:

50-Yard Swim.—Won by Johnson, Princeton; Harris, Princeton, second; Frankel, Columbia, third. Time—0:26.

220-Yard Swim.—Twitchell, Princeton, and Rogers, Columbia, dead heat; Mable, Columbia, third. Time—2:56.

Plunge for Distance.—Won by Kennard, Princeton, 70 feet; Schenk, Princeton, 65 feet, second; Petechek, Columbia, 60 feet, third.

100-Yard Swim.—Won by Johnson, Princeton; Harris, Princeton, second; Rogers, Columbia, third. Time—1:00 4-5.

Fancy Dive.—Won by Kazanjain, Princeton, 89½ points; Dane, Princeton, 75 points, second; no third.

200-Yard Relay.—Won by Princeton, (Twitchell, Harris, Georgi, Johnson;) Columbia, (Rogers, Mable, Frankel, Detrich,) second. Time—1:50.

Water Polo Game.

Columbia, (32.)	Position.	Princeton, (8.)
Kennedy	C.	Beuchner
Hyde	R. F.	West
Brown	L. F.	Schaefer
Kindleberger	R. B.	Arrowsmith
Kinzell	L. B.	Herron
Rosen	G.	Fyffe

Entries Sought for Road Race.

Entry blanks were issued yesterday for the annual Easter Sunday road race of the Brooklyn Athletic Association. The run will be a handicap affair instead of a novice chase as was at first expected, and it is anticipated that the various military and naval camps in the vicinity will be represented.

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SUPREME COURT, Appellate Division, First Judicial Department.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION of The City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 276 of the Laws of 1910, for a subsequent determination of the amount of indebtedness incurred by said City prior to the first day of January, 1910, for the Manhattan and The Bronx Rapid Transit Railroad, which may be excluded in ascertaining the power of said City to become otherwise indebted pursuant to the provisions of Section Ten of Article Eight of the Constitution.

Pursuant to statutory requirement and the order of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the First Judicial Department, duly filed with the petition in the above entitled proceeding in the office of the Clerk of said Court on the fifth day of February, 1918, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the First Judicial Department at the Court House of said Court, corner of 25th Street and Madison Avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 8th day of March, 1918, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for a determination of the amount of indebtedness incurred by The City of New York prior to the first day of January, 1910, for the Manhattan and The Bronx Rapid Transit Railroad, which may be excluded in ascertaining the power of said City to become otherwise indebted pursuant to the provisions of Section Ten of Article Eight of the Constitution of the State of New York.

Dated, New York, February 19, 1918.

THE BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, by JOHN F. HYLAN, Mayor; CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller; ALFRED E. SMITH, President of the Board of Aldermen.

WILLIAM P. BURR, Corporation Counsel; Office and Post Office Address, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

U. S. MARSHAL'S NOTICES.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—At the suit of the United States demanding forfeiture thereof under the provisions of Sections 3082 and 2838, R. S., U. S., I have seized and hold 200 7-12 dozen wool hose and half hose, 1 wool undershirt, 1 wool scarf, 3 wool sweaters, 2 8-12 dozen silk hose lace insertion, 7 4-12 dozen silk hose. Notice is hereby given that the cause is appointed for trial at the U. S. Court and Post Office Building, Manhattan, New York, on March 11, 1918, at the opening of court. All persons are notified then and there to appear and defend their interest, if any, in said goods. All not appearing will be defaulted.

Dated, February 19, 1918.

THOMAS D. McCARTHY, U. S. Marshal.

FRANCIS G. CAFFEY, U. S. Attorney.

SAYS RUIN MENACES MANY WAR CONCERNS

Senator Simmons Urges Passage of Finance Corporation Bill to Save Them.

CAN'T SELL SECURITIES

Hollis Opposes Measure as Socialistic—Fears Inflation of Liberty Bond Interest.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The passage of the War Finance Corporation bill, authorizing the Government to advance credits to aid war industries, was urged by Senator Simmons in the Senate today as a means of averting bankruptcy to many such enterprises throughout the country. During debate on the bill Senator Hollis, New Hampshire, Democrat, attacked the measure as socialistic.

Senator Simmons, who is Chairman of the Finance Committee, explained that the bill had been devised to meet conditions in the financial market that threatened to drive many industries to the wall. The Government was unable, under the existing law, to extend rediscount facilities to banks handling securities of corporations, and this measure would give it that power.

"The primary reason why this legislation is necessary," said Senator Simmons, "is that the Government, by floating its war bonds upon the market, has made it difficult for corporations to sell their securities. There has been little market for them. The Government, of necessity, has had to raise stupendous amounts of money to conduct the war. Enormous funds have been needed not only for its own uses but to help its allies.

"The Government, as a result of its own financial operations, has preempted the security market to such a degree that to save the situation a way has been found to enable many corporations to keep up. The small buyer of securities has become timid. He won't take corporation securities, for he has not felt safe in doing it.

"Banking experts appearing before the Senate Finance Committee said that several public utility corporations, with an aggregate of $750,000,000 of obligations maturing within six or seven weeks, were unable to meet them, and that unless help came they would have to go into bankruptcy. The banks holding notes of these corporations were unable to rediscount them. This bill would give the Federal Reserve Banks power to accept these notes, backed by security, and the corporations would be saved from going to the wall."

"It seems to me that we are running toward inflation in currency in this legislation," put in Senator Smith of Michigan. "Does the Federal Reserve Board approve this scheme?"

"It does," replied Senator Simmons.

"Well, what is it called—inflation?" asked the Michigan Senator.

"Expansion," replied Senator Simmons. "And I may say that it will be done without inflicting the slightest harm upon the financial solidity of the country. The Federal Reserve Board looks upon it with perfect equanimity. There are safeguards against an injury to currency. The Federal Reserve Board is authorized to put a special tax rate—or interest—upon notes upon which currency is issued under this legislation. That would keep the making of new currency down to the normal need. There could be no harmful inflation."

Senator Simmons explained that the bill did not tend to enlarge the power of the Federal Reserve banks except to create "additional eligible paper for rediscount." The only paper to be added to that eligible for discount, he said, was the bonds of corporations.

In opposing the bill, Senator Hollis said it would enable corporations to take advantage of the Government.

"We were told last Summer not to have high income taxes, so the capitalists might have capital for business purposes," said Senator Hollis. "So we shall have small taxes and large borrowings. The result is we are now asked to finance private business because capitalists have no money for private business. They are spending their incomes at Palm Beach, and the Government must finance their business for them. This bill is highly socialistic. Why is it that socialism to help the well-to-do is sound and respectable, while socialism to help the poor is unsound and disreputable?

"This bill transfers money control from Wall Street to Eighteenth Street and Pennsylvania Avenue, from Morgan, Kuhn, Loeb & Co. and Kidder, Peabody & Co. to the United States War Bank. I welcome the transfer, but I do not want any one financially interested in Wall Street on the Board of Directors.

"If some super-financier is willing to serve his country by becoming one of the five men who constitute the United States Money Trust, he should be willing, yes, anxious, to give up his financial connection with all other banks and trust companies.

"I do not object to having Secretary McAdoo marshal all the capital of the country by borrowing it on Government bonds or taking it by taxes. I prefer to do it by taxation. In that war inflation is avoided and economy is compelled."

Senator Hollis objected to having a War Finance Corporation, as contemplated under the bill, sell four billions of bonds in competition, as he said, with Liberty bonds. He said this would force up the rate of interest.

"It is the inflation of interest I am afraid of in this financial scheme," he added.

Debate on the bill is expected to run on into next week.

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FEDERAL.

Southern District.

DISTRICT COURT—Hand, J.—Room 1, Woolworth Bldg., 12th floor, at 10:30 A. M.—Equity.

Case on—US L & H Corp<Safety Car, &c, Co. No day calendar.

DISTRICT COURT—Mayer, J.—Room 235, P. O. Bldg., at 10:30 A. M.—Bankruptcy.

Discharges:
Richard Roth,
William H Rudolph,
Nathan Lending,
Leopold Lobel,
Harold L Ward,
Julia A Flynn,
George Wilkinson,
Walter J Bellinger,
Nathan Brown,
Harry S Prager,
Isaac B Grudberg,
H & T Salinsky,
Oscar Rothstein,
Jos A Robertson,
Ed. Munsterman,
Heininger & Baker.
Adjourned cases:
Moses G Hubbard,
Louis Schonfeld,
Sarah Gans,
Herman F Linder.
Involuntary case:
Petition—Wells Eng Corp.
Motions:
Victor Zimet,
Morris & Pope,
Max Cohn,
H L Herbert & Co,
Louis Rubinstein,
Kerr & Co,
Isidor Forman,
Willard C Baldwin,
Bernard Lowenstein,
Oscar Keokses,
Lena Moody,
Realty Corporation,
H & L Jarmulowsky,
M & L Jarmulowsky,
Loretta Corp,
William F Rohring,
M Blumenfeld & Bro,
I & L H Goodman,
Norfolk Mills,
Century Amuse Corp,
Loretta Corp,
Heller, Hirsh & Co,
Chickasaw Skirt Mfg,
Eckstein, Oliver & H,
S I Lubash,
J O Sachs & Co, (2.)
Henry Seltzer,
Jewett Bros, (3.)
Bridgeport Con Co,
Henry Marquet.

Eastern District.

DISTRICT COURT—Chatfield, J.—At 10:30 A. M. in Room 323 P. O. Bldg., Brooklyn.

Greenzweig<Napier, et al, (on trial.)
Altman<Bock.
Motions at 2 P. M.:
Budris—Cons Coal Co, (10.)
Pierce Bros—NY Dock Co.
O'Brien Bros<Str. "Richard Peck."
L R Bick, as Trustee<Robinson Amus. Co.
Nilsen<Gorton-Pew Vessels Co.
US<Malitz&Engler.
US ex rel M M Flanders<Brig Gen E M Johnson.
US ex rel J Kantor<same.
US ex rel C. F. Phillips<same.

STATE.

Court of Appeals.

Grafton, respt., v. Ball, aplt.; Frey, respt., v. Regensburg & Son, aplt.; McGuiness, aplt., v. Rodgers & Haggerty, respt.; Malone, aplt., v. Catholic Relief and Beneficiary Assn., respt.; Herrman, respt., v. Jeffe and ano., aplts.; Kratka, respt., v. B. and M. R., aplt.; Connor, respt., v. Loesch, aplt., et al., defts.; Eagan, aplt., v. Commercial Trust Co. of N. Y., respt.; Ewing Bacon and Henry, respt., v. Hoyt, aplt.; Globe Lithographing Co., respt., v. Morris Park Estates, aplt.; Bennett, respt., v. the Austro-Americana S. S. Co., aplt.; Green, respt., v. Waddington, Impld. with ano., aplt.; Doctor, aplt., v. Munice et al., respts.; Peck Committee, &c., respt., v. Burdick & Son, aplt.; Dow v. Ruman and Abraham Weil, indv., &c.; Bd. of Elections, &c., aplts., v. Fish Co., Judge et al., respts.; Beever, indv., &c., aplt., v. King, as exr., &c., and ors., respts.; Jones, respt., v. Natl. Surety Co., aplt.; Simpson et al., respt., v. Stallo, aplt.; Frazzek, respt., v. Erie R. C., aplt.—Judgments affirmed, with costs.

Wallace, aplt., v. Village of Canandaigua, respt.—Order affirmed and judgment absolute ordered against aplt. on the stipulation, with costs in all courts.

Peo., respts., v. Boyce, Jr., aplt.—Judgment affirmed.

Finkelstein, aplt., v. Punie, respt.—Appeal dismissed, with costs, on ground that no judgment has been entered upon order of App. Div. from which appeal can be taken.

Dickey, aplt., v. Gortrer, respt.; Knight, respt., v. Sherman Brown and ano., aplts.—Appeals dismissed, with costs.

Longworth, aplt., v. Longworth and ano., defts., Longworth, respt.; matter arbitration, &c., between Buckley, aplt., v. J. and C. Lippman, respt.; Oneil, respt., v. State of N. Y., aplt.—Judgments affirmed, with costs.

Garricott, respt., v. N. Y. State Rys., aplt.; Larson, aplt., v. Nassau Elec. R. Co., respt.; Maguire, aplt., v. Barrett, Pres., &c., respt.; Anthony & Jones Co., respt., v. N. Y. C. & C. R. Co., aplt.; Trustees of Hamilton College, aplts., v. Roberts et al., respts.—Judgments reversed and new trials granted.

Peo., respts., v. Carey, aplt.—Judgment reversed, new trial ordered.

Riverview Manor Assn., aplt., v. Bruckner et al., respts.—Judgment affirmed, without costs.

Re transfer tax Estate Orvis, decd., Orvis, indv., &c., and ors., aplts., v. State Comp., respt.—Order affirmed, with costs.

Wright, aplt., v. State of N. Y., respt.—Judgment modified by adding interest on the claim as allowed from date of filing, with costs to claimant.

Chapman, respt., v. Fargo, Pres., &c., aplt.—Judgments reversed, complaint dismissed, with costs to aplt. in all courts.

Triangle Waist Co., aplt., v. Todd, respt.—Judgment App. Div., in so far as it awards judgment for nominal damages, reversed and new trial granted.

In Peo. ex Fitzgerald & C., v. Voorhis, &c., Board Elections.—Opinions handed down today. Opinion by McLaughlin, J., in which all concur except Hogan and Crane, JJ.

DAY CALENDAR—
Re Minniece.
Re Vollmers.
Re Donohue.
Re Rheinwald.
Re McNally.
Re Lahm.
Valentine<Williams.
Re Goldschmidt.
Witmark<Hall-Berwin Co.
Rothbarth<Herzfeld.
Re McGowin.
Peo ex rel Pavilion Gas Co<Pub Serv Com.

NEW YORK COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

APPELLATE DIVISION—Recess.
APPELLATE TERM—Recess.
SPECIAL TERM—Part I.—Erlanger J.—Litigated motions at 10:15 A. M.

Stein<Giesler & Co.
Drewitz<Drewitz.
Re CNY, (Bronx Boulevard.)
Berris<Friedman.
Walter<Walter.
People<Callahan.
Geraerdts<Geraerdts.
Re Luzen.
Lahn & Simons<Shafrin.
Gotthelf<Greenbaum.
Vassos<Post & Standard Co.
Nathan<Stadholz.
Horwitz<Fuld & Hatch Knitting Co.
Re Gurzan, (Pleasant Av.)
Spotts<2d Av Amuse.
Interwade<Markle Co.
Altman<Baker & Co.
Carola<Carola.
Irving Trust Co<Breitung.
Farmers L & T Co<Bergman.
Solomon<Berry.
Spraul<Rosenzweig, (2)
Chatham Sq Rty Co<Li Bue.
Rosenson<Cohen.
Sykes<Degnan.
Re N E Equitable Ins.
Dreyer<Kusher.
Jocek<N Y Insulated Wire Co.
Weisberg<Miller.
Pollock<Shenfeld.
Porter<Rath.
Catizone<Catizone.
Blatman<Greenberg.
Niccolls<Kelly.
Electro Light Eng Co<Am Phonograph Co.
Jacobs<Roth.
Caterino<Thompson Brothers.
Wolff<Wolff.
Jones<Gorham Mfg.
Vizzio<Vizzio.
Janovici & Co<Southseas Import and Export Co.
Goldwurm<Goldwurm.
Turner<Turner.
Joseph & Brothers Co<Levine.
Moore<Aeiter.
Stewart<Hill Son & Co
Jaffe<Ridley.
Solomon<Berry.
Re Rogers, (Bartels.)
Re Morris, (Moore.)
Re Knutti.
Re Hess.
Re George.
Re Dunne.
Re Dibelius.
Re Doyle.
Re Butensky, (O'Mally)
Richmond Levering Co<Schneck.
Benedict<CNY.
W W Dress Co<Mass Bonding & Ins Co.
Rutherford<Brown Brothers.
Re Washington Sav Bk, (Supt of Banks.)
N Y Life Ins & Tr Co<Kessler.
Levy<Levy.
Bier<Bier.
N Y Inv Co<Friedman
Tomassetti<Del & Hud
McDonald<McDonald.
Kastelewicz<Kastelewicz.
Lawyers Title & T Co<Liberty St Holding.
Ruff<Autenreith.
Boeger-Meyer Machine and Tool Co<Liberty Hoisting Engine Co.
Katz<Spero.
Schieffelin<Craig.
Loucks<Chester.
Raymond<Hartford Fire Ins Co.
Emigrant Ind Sav Bk<Gold.

PART II.—Whitaker, J.—At 10:30 A. M.—Ex parte business.

PART III.—Lehman, J.—At 10:15 A. M. Motions:

Eggleston<Seamans.
Saland<Day Pub Co.
Kirsch&Co<Benyunes.
Bostwick<Bostwick.
Nat Imp &c, Co<Herskovits.
Hesslein<Lee & Co.
Gardner<Gardner.
Thos Carter Co<Ellis Adding T Co.
Salder<Salder.
McDermott<McDermott.
Israel<Israel.
Schwartz<Schwartz.
Stedman<Stedman.
Preferred causes:
CNY<NY Mun Ry.
General calendar:
US Light, &c, Corp<Walker.
Unangst<Roe, (5.)
Berry<same, (3.)
Green<same.
Newcomb<same.
Goldman<Goldman.
Clifford<Murphy.
Silverstein<Noveck.
Kennedy<Ryan.
Orlik<Nat Carbon Co.
MacLeod<MacLeod.
Reichlin<Van Madaler.
Butts<Butts.
Pessah<Schwartz.
Kubiansky<Kubiansky.
Feibish<Friedman.
Schwartz<Walker.
Sheeran<Sheeran.
Donough<Korn.
Stephan<Stephan.
Cosby<Cosby.
Spanier<Spanier.
Gershel<Gershel.
Russo<Russo.
Bleiman<Libman Rty.
Goldschmidt<Wagner.
Abramowitz<Hart.
Pollak<Pollak.
Jaffe<Ridley.
Stone<Town & Country Estates.
Bier<Bier.
Allen<Allen.
Finck<McGirr.
Rovensky<Gorman.
Eisfeldt<De Hochman.
Neugass<Lee.
Case on.

PART IV.—Giegerich, J.—At 10:30 A. M. Case on.
PART V.—Weeks, J.—At 10:30 A. M. Case on.
PARTS VI., VII., and VIII.—Not in session.
TRIAL TERMS—Part II.—Newburger, J.—At 10 A. M.

Pagliuci<Italian Barbers' Ben Socy.
Stolsman<Sheuerman Bros.
Rosenbaum<Sarasohn.
The Dyer Co<White & Co.
Am Pump & Tank Co<Wolken.
Case on.

PART III.—Bijur, J.—At 10 A. M.

Inq—Bonerio<Harris.
Inq—Locascia<Nat'l Card & Paper Co.
Barnes<Vogel.
Geisler<NY Rys.
Satloff<McNulty Co.
Borob<Gen Chem Co.
Cohen<NY Rys.
Dobrinsky<Moshman.
Wahet<Emanuel Sisterhood of Pers Serv.
Zabaldofsky<Pechter.
Cassino<Cent Brew Co of NY.
Laykind<Bloomingdale.
Nemeth<Int R T.
Wirneke<Kite.
Donahue<NY D Dock.
Perrino<CNY.
Schwartz<Friedsam.
Andrill<Harkavy.
L Buonocore<McGrath.
F Buonocore<same.
Casler<Central Brewing Co of NY.
Sabas<Sheffield F-Slawson-D Co.
Zabinsky<Front Cont.
A Eck<3d Av RR.
J M Eck<same.
Giorfirda<Schorn.
Garbus<Weiner.
McMahon<Anastasia.
Rafa<Jordis.
Worrall<Glasser.
Payn<Calredon Transp & For Co.
Dreliach<Interstate Transp.
Cumberbatch<D, L & W RR.
Smith<Stanley.
Adelson<Gross.
Greenberg<Kander.
Ehrichman<So Bklyn Ry.
Roeth<S Schmidt & Co.
Norwood<Bradley Con.
Reilly<NY Edis, (2.)
Ziegler<McGivney.
Oehlbaum<Glickman.
Sheridan<King.
Montarazzo<Falsom(2)
Barry<La Roche.
McGivney<Colonial Sand & Stone Co.
I Kroslak<Belt L Ry.
R Kroslak<same.
J Kroslak<same.
Rushkin<Levin.
Beller<Neveloff.
Zorry<Zimmerman Co.
Rancour<CNY.
J P Jones<CNY.
A G Jones<same.
Flaumenbaum<Marrone.
E Perrella<NY Rys.
A Perrella<same.
Dillon<Strauss.
Link<Hickey.
Hennessy<CNY.
M Cicerello<NY Tel.
J Cicerello<same.
Ericsson<Bradley Con.
Cusimono<Barber Asphalt Pav.

PART XIV.—Hotchkiss, J.—At 10 A. M.

Goldsmith & Loewenick, Inc<Diamond State Fibre.
S Singer<Frusher.
E Singer<same.
Perlman<Donohue.
Atlas Assur Co<J. L. Dudley, Jr. Co.
Mayer<Monzo.
Kaufman<Miller.
Raymond-Hadley Corp<Boston & Me RR.
Aetna Life Ins Co<Humphrey.
Huber<Blalock.
Hughes<Leary.
Syrkin<Howard Paper.
Vandewaghe<Star Fur Mfg Co.
Hargreaves<Lauten.
Wiesbader<Sherman.
CNY<US Guaranty.
Same<Warren Scharf Asphalt Pav.
Anderson<Anderson.
Ball<Ball.
Petty<King.
Salwen<Walker.
Goodwin<Mirrors Film
Egger<Trondal.
Martinelli<Beatty.
North Eastern Const Co<CNY.
Altman & Co<Egan.
Bangser<Bradley, (2.)
Martindale<Gibbs, Inc.
Sterling Motor Truck<Connor.
Interstate Pulp & Paper, Inc<Hoffman.
Blauschild<Wood.
Magrauth<Schwarz.
Tambutini<Sutherland.
Bauer<Trimmer.
Dietz<Martin.
Int Agricultural Corp<Carpenter.
Lanshein Bauman Co<Blue Ridge Furn Co.
Hasbrouck Flooring Co<United Cork Co.
Frankenberg<Spiegel.
Wiemer<Am Fid Co.
Hesse<Gude Bros-Kieffer Co.
Lovett<British Aluminium.

TRIAL TERM—Causes assigned from the day calendar to the various parts for trial. See Rule VII., amended Trial Term rules.
PART III.—Bijur, J.—At 10 A. M.
Scheltes<Bach.
Cohen<Stadler.
PART IV.—Dugro, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.
PART V.—Adjourned for the term.
PART VI.—Ford, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.
PART VII.—Hendrick, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.
PART VIII.—Adjourned for the term.
PART IX.—Gavegan, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.
PART X.—Cohalan, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.
PART XI.—Pendleton, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.
PART XII.—Finch, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.
PART XIII.—Sears, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.
PART XIV.—Hotchkiss, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.
PART XV.—Greenbaum, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.
PART XVI.—McAvoy, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.
PART XVII.—Tierney, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.
PART XVIII.—Not in session.

Surrogates' Court.

CHAMBERS—Cohalan, S.—At 10:30 A. M.
Wills for probate:
Alice M Flynn,
Vincenzo Parospolo,
Samuel Garretson,
Samuel Herbst,
Louis Loeb,
Mary Quigley,
Julius Stern,
Meri Kaetane.
TRIAL TERM—Fowler, S.—At 10:30 A. M. No day calendar.

City Court.

SPECIAL TERM—Part I.—Zeller, J.—At 10 A. M.—Litigated motions.

Plimpton Epic Pictures<Comwith Com.
Frank<Naphen.
Reilly<Bernheim.
Collins<Holders Rty.
Simmons Co<Rogers.
Hencken & W<Simons.
Colgate<Webb.
Van Baalen<Shongood.
Wertheim<Siris.
Klein<Wolf-Beller.
Toomey<Proud.
Pollatsek<Ragovsky.
Kohn<Victor Carpet.
Levy & Co<Matthews.
Freifeld<Razzari.
Pierce, Butler & P Mfg Corp<Keller.
Brooks Bros<Sefton.
McLellan<Roberts.
Schumacher<Yung.
Picano-Capaldo Co<Klopstock & Co.
Goldstein<I & M Rty.
Ehrenstein<I R T.
Lightner<Hartman-Blanchard Co.
Schwebel<Wallach.

PART II.—Zeller, J.—At 10 A. M.—Ex parte business.

TRIAL TERMS—Part I.—Allen, J.—At 9:45 A. M.

Rosen<Druss.
Glanzer<Wamsly Co.
Zimit<Mill Remnant.
London<Politziner.
Rodriguez<Herrera.
Mathias<Murphy.
Raskin<Berger Rty, &c, Co, (2.)
Posner<NY Rys, (2.)
Farkash<N Y Rys.
Federal Adv Agy<Rubber & Celluloid, &c, Co.
Howard<Dry Dock, &c, RR.
Bischoff<State Inv.
Mandel<Danzig.
Becker<Elianowitch.
Katz<Cruminsky.
Mayer<Rosenzweig.
Toomen<Renault Transp Co.
Wachtel<Tillman.
Mendel<Block.
Freedman<Bergidi.
Gordon<Greenberg.
Goldman<Sheffield Farms-S D Co.
Rottenberg<Dick Chem Co.
Kreemerman<Greenberg.
Fideiman<Levine.
Peerless Pattern Co<Meacham Co.
Reynard<Shubert.
La Favorite Rubber Mfg Co<Potts.
Gaynor<Saviano.
Gallagher<Liebenguth.
Carroll<Kiddie.
Bloom<Barry.
Kelly<Trepel.
Schneidman<N Y Rys.
Gerstenzang<Rosenberg.
Rose<Walton.
Goldstein<Gillen.
Wieseithier<NY Rys.
Isaacson<Int R T, (2.)
Rubenstein<NY Rys.
Pontinus<same.
Brill<Schonzeit.
Lonshein<Hoffman.
Kinsey<Northwestern Theat Assn.
Schreyer<Flechtheim.
McCoun<Clinton Taxi Service.
Ruppert Rty<Buxbaum.
Lion Brewery<Tassi.
Cummins<D,L&WRR.
McKean<NY Rys.
Weisholz<Cohn.

SHORT CAUSE CALENDAR—Cases will be sent to trial Term, Part II., for trial.
Brown & Bro<Coccaro.
Greenfield<Goldman. Case on.
PART II.—Meyer, J.—At 10 A. M. Clear.
PART III.—Schmuck, J.—At 10 A. M. Commercial calendar.

Feinstein<Sidney Blumenthal & Co.
Mack<Goldman.
Singer<Porter.
Furman<Oestreich.
Sherman Slate Co<Hecla Slate Co.
Bernstein<Inzerilla.
Oppenheimer<Smith.
Wangrow<Wangrow.
Lamport<Ludlow.
Bernstein<Kreizel.
Case on.

PART IV.—O'Dwyer, J.—At 10 A. M. Clear.
PART V.—Valente, J.—At 10 A. M. Clear.
PART VI.—Finelite, J.—At 10 A. M. Clear.
PART VII.—Walsh, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.
PART VIII.—Smith, J.—At 10 A. M. Clear.

Referees Appointed.

SUPREME COURT—Whitaker, J.—Halstead<Greenspan—Frank J. Ryan. Broadway Sav. Inst.<McElroy—Alfred E. Smith. Mutual Trust Co.<Feshavek—Charles P. Ryan.

SUPREME COURT—Erlanger, J.—Equitable Life Assn. Socy.<Mahon—Joseph P. Morrissey. Emigrant Ind. Sav. Bank<Farmers' Loan and Trust Co.—William Allen. Re Wilkin, (Rosedale Av., &c.)—David Well.

SUPREME COURT—Greenbaum, J.—McGovern<Curran—Edwin D. Hays.

SUPREME COURT—Lehman, J.—Snedecor<Babcock—Thomas W. Churchill.

Receivers Appointed.

SUPREME COURT — Erlanger, J. — Mutual Life Ins. Co.<James H. Newman—Herbert J. Goodman.

SUPREME COURT — Guy, J. — Deutscher Frauen, &c.<Biagio Permetti et al.—Sherwood Hall.

SUPREME COURT—Whitaker, J.—Emigrant Ind. Sav. Bank<Abraham Goldberg—Nicholas F. Walsh. Same<Frederick W. Binsen et al.—Henry Brady. Met. Trust Co.<Broadway-John St. Corp.—Alexander Rickard. Excelsior Sav. Bank<Simon Hatch—Clement F. Burnaf. John A. Braun<Annie M. Christie—Clement F. Burnaf.

BRONX COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

SPECIAL TERM—(Chambers)—Mullan, J.—At 10 A. M.—Ex parte business.
SPECIAL TERM—Mullan, J.—Motion calendar.

Bumsted<Capoano.
O'Hara<Murray.
Ecklund<Ecklund.
Simmons<Simmons.
Loewy<Fridiger.

SPECIAL TERM FOR TRIALS—Mullan, J. No day calendar.
TRIAL TERM—Part I.—Donnelly, J.

Roth<Winnie Rlty & Constr Co.
Mulligan<Terry, Jr.
Turetzkin<Street Coal Co.
Danielson<Kummel.
Kuninsky<Piermont Paper Co.
Kamholz<Male, (2.)
Gordon<Haas.
Davidson<CNY.
Leff<Kuehnel.
Yochelson<Gold.
Leibman<Crotona Av Realty Co.
Keys<Weiner.
Antonizzi<Zeuner.
Sabulsky<Wyland.
Lagois<Preuss.
Weiss<Rice.
Hackett<Lenox Sand & Gravel Co.
Booth<Weytisek.
Meyerowitz<Abrahams.
Brecher<R Hoe & Co.
Neidisch<Abramowitz.
Schapiro<Levine.
Frankel<Int R T Co.
Stern<Pye & Co, Inc.
Cavanaugh<Union Ry.
Ellingsworth<Robitzek & Bro.
Hyman<Lawrence.
Sheehan<Zorn.
Farrell<Kreymborg.
Nissenoff<Kellner.
Altman<Pfaelzer.
Horn<Slinsky.
Wentz<Yonkers RR.
Alger<same.
Koerner<Koerner.
Posnitz<H S & S S Crystal.
Wray<Von der Heyde.
Elner<Freeminstreet.

Highest number reached in regular order, 1,523.
PART II.—Mullan, J.—Cases to be sent from Trial Term, Part I.
PART III.—Mitchell, J.—Cases to be sent from Trial Term, Part I. Case on—People, &c<Von Paucke.

Surrogate's Court.

CHAMBERS—Schulz, S.—Ex parte business.
Motions:
Estate of Jacob Spellberger,
Marie Louise Roesler,
Peter Frank,
Albert R Smith.
Wills for probate:
John D McCarthy,
John Welply,
Frederick Arnold,
Levi Baum,
John Rippel,
Otto A Heinrich.
James C Clark.
Adoption:
Helen Reynolds by Samuel Mercogliano and Maria Mercogliano.
Accountings:
Estate of Patrick Flanagan,
Winifred McCarthy (2)
Maurice Nemeroff,
Hyman N Brody,
Harry Adolph Dreher.
TRIAL TERM—Schulz, S.—No day calendar.

County Court.

SPECIAL TERM—(Chambers)—Gibbs, J.—Ex parte business.
SPECIAL TERM FOR MOTIONS—Gibbs, J. No day calendar.
TRIAL TERM—Russell, J.
Lachinsky<Reubert.
Lichtenstein<I R T.

Referee Appointed.

SUPREME COURT—Mullan, J.—Staker<Wawrzyniak.—James J. O'Connell.

Receivers Appointed.

SUPREME COURT—Mullan, J.—Harry J. Dietrich<Mary A. O'Neill et al.—George Price.

COUNTY COURT—Gibbs, J.—Bronx Security & Brokerage Co.<Levey Realty Co.—Eugene L. Brimch.

KINGS COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

APPELLATE DIVISION—Second Department—Jenks, P. J.; Thomas, Mills, Rich, Putnam, JJ.—Motion calendar at 1 P. M.

Hogle et al<Freeman et al.
Schwartzman<Pines Rubber Co, Inc.
Enumerated day calendar:
Doscher<Sisson.
McMurray<Woods.
Waterman<Fort Co.
Re Zimmerman.
People<Schloer.
Re Lawrence Av.
Hasbrouck<Harkness.
McCarthy<Sisson.
Realty Assoc<CNY.
Smith<Erie RR.
Rice<Union Ry.
Banks<Olin.
Keeler<Abbott.
Liebman<CNY.
Boid<Cushing.
Queens Land Co<Title Co.
Randel Co<same.
Chace<Chevrolet M Co.
Dillon<Reid.
Lyon<Gilleran.
Searle<Hoyt.
Lyman<Putnam C Co.
McDermott<Lawyers Mtg Co.

APPELLATE TERM—Second Department—Recess.
SPECIAL TERM—Part I.—Clark, J.—At 10 A. M.

Kennedy<Tidewater Bldg Co.
Mazida<Nass El RR.
Moskowitz<NY C RR.
Schulfried<same.
James Holden<Maxwell Motor S Corp.
John Holden<same.
Burke<same.
Scharen<Coastwise Lumber & S Co.
Cliff<Suffolk Gas & Elec Light Co.
Benjamin<Kohlmeyer.
Garson<L I RR.
Apitzsch<Hunter.
Re Moore.
Susskind<Susskind.
O'Hara<C I & B RR.
Holden<Mitchell.
T Sheehan<McCabe.
F Sheehan<same.
Krinski<Kornreich.
C Markey<Johnson.
A Markey<same.
J P Berridge<NY Con RR.
McK Berridge<same.
McNulty<Gritman.
Cotter<Straus.
Knowles<NY Con RR.
Fraas<Kenny.
Kobre Assets Corp<Multz.
Goldstein<FitzGerald.
Raff<Raff.
Crawford<Thompson-Starrett Co et al.
Keating<same.
Century Mach Co<Rothenberg.
Lowenbein<Equit Life Assur Socy.
J Ordurin<Cleveland Trinidad Paving Co.
S Ordurin<same.
Meyer<Andrews.
Mollo<Barr.
Seybolt<Seybolt.
Re Eagle S & L Co.
Kastick<Kastick.
Matican<Langrock Bros Co.
Pines<Moore.
Jockel<Palmer.
Baker<Doherty.
Cunningham<Keith NY Theatre Co.

PART II.—Callaghan, J.—Ex parte business at 10 A. M.
Undefended divorces:
Stark,
Michel,
De Cava,
Wells,
Currier.
Frazier,
Kapitnik,
Weiss,
Cronin,
Giordano,
Drilick.

PART III.—Manning, J.—At 10 A. M.
Bklyn Line Improv Co<L Perlowitz Rlty.
Hinchie<Kassenbrook.
Siemson<Siemson.
Atlantic Storage Co<Lustig.
Dver<Dver.
Selden<Selden.
Sullivan<Sullivan.

Highest number reached on the regular call, 629.

TRIAL TERM—Part I., Jaycox, J.; Part II., Van Siclen, J.; Part III., Benedict, J.; Part IV., Cropsey, J.; Part V., Scudder, J.

Dill<B H RR.
Gerschner<B & N R RR.
Bayerlein<CNY.
Lane<NY Cent RR.
Blenk<Gruner.
Smith<Nichols.
Warner<Newhouse.
Kosher<Diamond.
Lotz<Price & Rosenbaum.
Gunn<C I & B RR.
Buch<Epstein & K.
Meisler<Segalbaum.
Behrend<Trommer Evergreen Brewy.
O'Connor<Connor.
Klein<Williams et al.
Fraas<Kenny.
Cook<Salvation Army.
Rummell<Seaman et al.
Carmosin<N Y Cons R R.
Saperstein<Standard Cigar Stands Co.
Lamansey<Stoothoff.
McNulty<Nas RR.
Armendinger and ano<Otto.
Chellberg<Rompapas.
Cleary<So Bklyn Ry. & ano.
Hogarty<Nas RR.
Flynn<Lehigh Val RR.
Richi<Sessa.
Crowley<N Y Cons RR.

The following causes, if marked ready, will be passed for the day. No cause will be set down for a day upon this call.

Starr<Quinn.
Gronito<N Y Rys Co.
Colson<Am Distilled Water Co.
McCarthy<B H RR & ano.
Newbauer<Hunecke & ano.
Dalland<Erdmann.
Moore<CNY & ano.
Dragonette<Schmadeke.
Trotter<Union Ry.
Lieberman<N Y Cons RR.
Ajello<Thomas Moving & Express Co.
Kirk<Nas RR & ano.
Tillman<Nas RR.
Siemers<Henchel et al.
Runsdorf<Bacon Coal.
Wanamaker<B H RR.
Weinstein<Clark.
Hutzelman<Nas RR.
Quant<All Package Grocery Stores.
Barnard-Murphy<Rockstein et al.
Cannizzaro<Mackay.
Shoobs<Nas RR.
Bobrow<same.
King<B H RR.
Duggan<Schwartz.
Bankers' Commercial Co<Carizzo & Co.
Porte<Klein.
Haff<CNY.
Nielson<Chase.
Behrens<Stern.
Frank<Blaut et al.
Mitchell<N Y Rys.
Rickert<B H RR.
Kennedy<Tidewater Building Co and ano.
Sisto<Burstein.
Nolan<B H RR.
Bettan<Union Ry.
Hudson<Olsen.
Neilson<Nas RR.
McLaughlin<N Y Rys.
Trovato<B H RR.
Fiorillo<Schmadeke.

Highest number reached on regular call, 3690.

Surrogate's Court.

CHAMBERS—Ketcham, S.—Day calendar at 10 A. M.
Wills of:
Eleanor B Woodruff,
Bertha Doscher,
Diedrect Hehrmann,
Elizabeth Bistich,
Elizabeth Farrington.
Accounting of:
Clemence Monnsant,
John Gallagher,
Thomas Howden,
Thomas Haefner,
John W Wormell,
Ann Dolan,
Julius Levy,
William Flood,
Michael Martin,
John P O'Brien,
Louise Doering,
Maria A Hartung,
Laura Gallagher,
Marie Stocken.
John S Frost,
Georgina Hutchings,
Catherine Dowd,
Maria Gelston, (2,)
Martin Will.
Estates of:
Max Kalstein,
Ellen Donnelly,
Charles D Schmidt,
Mary Ennis,
Henry J Gellen,
Russell Rowan,
Pauline Edgett,
Charles F Waller,
Anna Hackeryos,
Philip Friedlander,
Gustave Hofee,
Bridget Fitzgibbons,
William Hall.
Contested calendar:
Ellen Sweeney.

County Court.

CIVIL CALENDAR—Part V.—McDermott, J.
Christie<B H RR.
Grimaldi<Berk.
Rebhun<B H RR.
Barber<B,Q C & S RR.
Suchdola<Nass El RR.
Kaplan<B H RR.
Pollingi<same.
Melton<NY Con RR.
Hamburger<Lifschitz, (2.)
Olszewski<Graham.
Bogoff<Stamm.
Smith<Overfield.

QUEENS COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

TRIAL TERM—Part I.—Aspinall, J. Part II. Kelby, J.—At 10 A. M.
Ellerman<Mack & ano.
Smith<B-H RR.
Lamb<Morrise.
Boyd<Ocean Elec Ry.
Ferrara<DiMola & ano.
Behrman<Green.
Leinert<Sheeps Bay & Rock Ferry.
Jos Geiser & Son<Rainier Motor Corp.
Cohen<Untermyer.
Haslach<J. R. Carpenter Co, (inquest.)

Highest number reached on the general calendar is 2200.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

TRIAL TERM—Part I., Platt, J.; Part II., Tompkins, J.; Part III., Morschauser, J.—At 9:45 A. M.
Brahms<Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.
SPECIAL TERM—Young, J.—At 10 A. M.
Scheeper<Sonburg, (2.)
Enslin<Enslin.
Gregory<Gregory.
Also for the hearing of motions.

County Court.

DAY CALENDAR—Young, J.
Farnham<Hooven, Owens, Rentschler.
Kasenetz<Matthews.
Brady<Fitzgerald.
Sansone<Village of Mamaroneck.
Zampana<Wein.
Herbst<Schmaling.
Babbaro<Yakimoff.
Acerno<Samela.
Ella<Tamras.
Lord & Burnham Co<Di Nenno.
Bazzone<West El RR.
Holloway<Frensdorf.
Erdmann<W Elec RR.
Smith<Keables.
Prisk<West Elec Ry.
Hudson<Guglielmo.
Bardua<City of New Rochelle.
Scheurer<Dickson.
St John<Klass.
Griffen<Merian.
Cheatham<Village of Scarsdale, (2.)
Sukovsky<Lynch.
Schiesser<Nelson.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT, Appellate Division, First Judicial Department.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION of The City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 276 of the Laws of 1910, for a subsequent determination of the amount of indebtedness incurred by said City prior to the first day of January, 1910, for the Brooklyn-Manhattan Rapid Transit Railroad, which may be excluded in ascertaining the power of said City to become otherwise indebted pursuant to the provisions of Section Ten of Article Eight of the Constitution.

Pursuant to statutory requirement and the order of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the First Judicial Department, duly filed with the petition in the above entitled proceeding in the office of the Clerk of said Court on the fifth day of February, 1918, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the First Judicial Department at the Court House of said Court, corner of 25th Street and Madison Avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 8th day of March, 1918, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for a determination of the amount of indebtedness incurred by The City of New York prior to the first day of January, 1910, for the Brooklyn-Manhattan Rapid Transit Railroad, which may be excluded in ascertaining the power of said City to become otherwise indebted pursuant to the provisions of Section Ten of Article Eight of the Constitution of the State of New York.

Dated, New York, February 19, 1918.

THE BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, by JOHN F. HYLAN, Mayor; CHARLES L. CRAIG, Comptroller; ALFRED E. SMITH, President of the Board of Aldermen.

WILLIAM P. BURR, Corporation Counsel; Office and Post Office Address, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

REPLENISHING STOCKS.

Merchants finding their stock running low may replenish it by sending a letter to The New York Times, describing what is wanted. A summary of the letter will appear the next morning on the Business Page as a small advertisement. Replies can be mailed direct to the advertiser, or The Times will supply a box number.

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THE BUSINESS WORLD

Buyers' Wants

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AMOSKEAG SERGES AND POPLINS Wanted.—Also Whitman 9, 104; U. S. 838, American 0936; also light weight velours in Fall shades. 5376 Chelsea.

APPAREL Wanted. — High-grade suits, coats, dresses for cash. Gottdiener, Franklin 4133.

APPAREL Wanted.—Cash, better grade suits, coats, waists, dresses. National, Franklin 2412.

ASTRACHAN Wanted.—Black, navy, or brown; also ¾ melton, all colors. Stuyvesant 1624.

BARONET SATIN Wanted.—Any shade and quantity, for cash. Phone Riverside 7884.

BLANKET ROBE CLOTH Wanted.—Whitman or Beacon; state quantity and price. Phone Greeley 1294.

BROADCLOTH Wanted. — Black, botany, Columbia, or other makes, 54 inch; spot cash. A. Cohen, 8698-8699 Madison Square.

BROADCLOTH, Velours, and Serges Wanted. —Will pay spot cash. Mr. Jesiowitz. Farragut 5856.

BROADCLOTH Wanted.—Rose and Copen., any quantity, for cash. Neugass Bros., 71 West 23d.

BURELLAS, Plain and Mixed, Wanted.—Spring colors only. 9293 Madison Square.

BURELLA Wanted.—American 0310. Call Farragut 2641.

CASHMERE VELOURS Wanted.—F. & H. 8285; also Silvertone, H. & L. 602. Madison Square 8272.

CLOAKINGS Wanted.—Cloth or pile fabrics; anything suitable for girls' Fall coats at price for cash. H. Biermann, 17 West 17th. Chelsea 5698.

CLOAKINGS Wanted.—All kinds of Fall coatings, cloth and pile fabrics; specify quantities and price; spot cash. R 31 Times.

CLOTH Wanted.—American Delhi; open to buy for cash 037-1. Telephone Stuyvesant 1731.

COATINGS Wanted.—Kerseys, velours, heavyweights. Louis Cohen, 1,182 Broadway. Madison Square 5636.

COATINGS Wanted.—Heavy weight American velours, all grades, highest price. Farragut 2357.

COATINGS Wanted.—¾ and 6-4 for spot cash. Blitz, 404 4th Av. 2639 Madison Sq.

COATS Wanted.—Jobber ready to place large stock order on snappy coats, poplins and velours; good coats only. Call with samples, 7th floor, 129 West 27th St.

COATS AND SPRING SUITS wanted for immediate delivery. Meyer & Bernheimer, Inc. Entrance 24 West 35th St.

COATS Wanted.—Jobber placing orders for poplin coats for cash, 1,181 Broadway, Room 4.

COATS Wanted.—Open to buy silk coats of the better kind. Fourth floor, 12 West 27th.

CORDUROYS Wanted.—Narrow wale, 31 or 36 inches, made in colors. Call Chelsea 3650.

COTTON CREPE Wanted.—Figured serpentine preferred. Call Chelsea 3650.

COTTON FLANNEL Wanted—In white, pink, light blue, and red, 27 and 36 inch, in twills; can use large quantity; submit samples and quantities. Exporters' Dry Goods Exchange, 17 Pearl St. Broad 1439.

COTTON GOODS Wanted.—Black and colored sateens and taffetas, also fancies. Room 915, 1,261 Broadway.

COTTON GOODS Wanted.—Spot cash paid for any quantity. F. A., 256 Times Downtown.

COTTON PIECE GOODS Wanted.—Bought for cash; hours 3 to 5 P. M. 4th floor, 69 Worth St.

COTTON GOODS wanted reasonably below market price; will pay cash. Spring 1113.

DELHI Wanted.—Open to buy delhi for cash, all colors. Farragut 2347.

DELHI Wanted.—American 037 and also poplins in all shades. Madison Square 2715.

DRESSES Wanted.—Will pay spot cash for jobs of silk dresses. Spiro & Kutner, 279 5th Av.

DRESSES Wanted. — Open for gingham dresses; large stock orders placed. 11th floor rear, 6 West 32d.

DRESSES, House, Wanted.—Jobber open for percale and gingham dresses for cash. Z 296 Times Annex.

DRESSES Wanted.—Jobber placing orders silk, georgette dresses. 16 East 33d, tenth floor.

DRESSES Wanted.—City and out-of-town jobbers placing orders on dresses. Call with newest samples, 10 to 2 o'clock, 48 West 25th, 4th floor.

DRESSES Wanted.—Jobber placing orders on gingham dresses. Bring samples from 10 to 1 P. M., 1,133 Broadway, Room 906.

DRESSES Wanted.—Jobber placing orders on gingham, voile, and linen; call with samples; immediate order. Fourth floor, 15 West 26th.

DRESSES Wanted.—Jobber looking at cotton dresses of the better kind. Fourth floor, 129 West 29th St.

DRESSES, COATS AND SUITS Wanted.—Open for jobs, spot cash. Handels, 886 6th Av.

DUVET DE LAINE Wanted.—F. & H., all shades. Madison Square 1124.

DUVETYN Wanted.—F. & H. 8285, all colors. Madison Square 6205.

EVORIA Wanted.—F. & H. 8252, all colors, $5.50 net. H. Markowitz, 99 Madison Av.

GABARDINES Wanted.—Garfield 4666, in tan and gray. Phone Farragut 9805.

GEORGETTE Wanted.—Big quantity at a price. Feinberg Bros., 189 6th Av.

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GINGHAMS Wanted.—Plaid, better grades; prefer glem rays 32 inches wide; cash. Maher & Kessler, 131 West 35th.

GINGHAMS Wanted.—Cotton, will pay cash; call at once, 4th floor, 15 West 26th.

GINGHAM Wanted. — Open for gingham plaids; cash. Monarch Dress, 6 West 32d.

GOWNS, Flannel, Wanted.—Jobber open for large quantities gowns for cash. Z 297 Times Annex.

BUNTING, Cotton, Wanted.—100,000 yards red, white and blue, Invincible or Bulldog brand preferred. Call 101 5th Av., 9th floor.

JERSEY CLOTH Wanted.—All weights and colors. Jonas Finger, 141 West 28th.

PEAU DE CYGNE Wanted.—Tan and clay. Wilson Manufacturing Co., 127 Madison Av.

PLUSH Wanted.—Peco esquimette; any quantity for cash. Brous Brothers, 1,115 B'way.

PLUSHES Wanted.—Esquimette, Peco, 40-40 Peerless; spot cash. Chelsea 9749.

POM POMS Wanted.—American; all shades; any quantity; spot cash. Greeley 6373.

POPLINS Wanted. — Peacock, tan, or gray American or similar; burellas, all colors, B. & C. or similar. Farragut 2980.

POPLINS Wanted.—Will pay cash for American poplins; clay, peacock, and drey. Tel. Farragut 2770.

POPLINS Wanted.—Will buy all colors, also serges in all colors, for cash. Farragut 5003.

POPLINS, SERGES, and VELOURS Wanted.—In heavy weight and light weight in all shades. Gramercy 2388.

POPLINS Wanted.—Open for American 90610, in gray, rookie, and tan. Phone Greeley 5980.

POPLIN, TRICOTINE Wanted. — American 90610, Garfield 4718, all colors. Farragut 2616.

POPLINS Wanted.—American, all colors, for cash. 2180 Madison Square.

POPLINS Wanted.—Folwell-Copen. Julius L. Goldstein, 153 West 23d, Farragut 596.

POPLINS Wanted.—All wool, black. Wilson Manufacturing Co., 127 Madison Av.

POPLINS Wanted.—Pekin and gray; spot cash. Stuyvesant 3204.

POPLINS Wanted.—American; also silvertones, high shades. Phone Farragut 3885.

SATIN Wanted.—Ray or Barronett Satin; white and colors. Halpert Bros., 3954 Farragut.

SERGES Wanted.—French serge, about $1.75; also botany 793-0936, for cash. O 353 Times Downtown.

SATINS Wanted.—Yarn dye, cotton back, in nigger brown and African brown. D. Fried, 106 West 27th St.

SERGES Wanted.—104, 9, 54289 heavy weight velours; spot cash. Gramercy 4552.

SERGE Wanted.—Men's wear; open for large quantity. Phone Madison Square 1330.

SERGES Wanted.—7301; will buy 400 pieces for cash; also 1464. Call Gramercy 5425.

SERGES Wanted.—American 0936, U. S. 235. Will pay good price. Orchard 5746 or 4496.

SERGES Wanted.—Juilliard's 4406, any colors, any quantity. Schlang, 151 West 26th.

SERGES Wanted.—High shades, men's wear. Knobel & Bloom, 145 West 30th.

SERGE Wanted.—Open to buy 0936; will pay $2.10 net cash. Madison Square 1745.

SILK TAFFETAS Wanted.—Changeable, pay cash. Horowitz, 94 Greene St.

Buyers' Wants

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SILK Wanted.—Open to buy silk plaid, up to $1. Mr. Benjamin Leifer. Call Farragut 753.

SILKS Wanted.—Colored tub silks. Manhattan Petticoat Co., 3 West 29th St.

SILVERTONES AND VELOUR CHECKS Wanted.—All shades. Cohen & Edelman, 35 West 31st.

SILVERTONE VELOUR Wanted.—Will pay best market price; Spring shades; quantity. Telephone 2137 Greeley.

SILVERTONES AND PLUSHES Wanted.—For cash. H. D. Brous, 134 West 29th.

SKIRTS Wanted.—Placing stock orders on wash skirts. Bring samples, 10 to 1 P. M., 1,133 Broadway, Room 906.

SUITS Wanted.—Lewis Bergman of Altoona, Penn., open for job of Spring suits. Call Wednesday morning, Ben F. Levis, 37 West 26th St. 4594 Farragut.

TAFFETAS Wanted.—Up to 92½c. Rashkind & Soloff, 244 Fifth Av.

TRICOTINE Wanted.—Tricotine, gabardines, serges, velours, Silvertone and jerseys for cash. Farragut 3837.

TRICOTINES Wanted.—Garfields and botany, all colors. Farragut 5759.

TWEEDS Wanted.—Will pay cash for Fisher & Kennedy 1600, color 158 gray. Madison Square 1540.

VELOURS, Kersey, Cheviots, and Pom Poms Wanted.—Any quantity, for spot cash. Farragut 4088.

VELOURS Wanted.—American 0659, all colors, for cash. 2180 Madison Square.

VELOUR Wanted.—Stevens, shade 530, 541; will pay cash. Call Stuyvesant 4104.

VELOURS Wanted.—American 0360, all colors, spot cash. Telephone Farragut 3833.

WAISTS Wanted.—Jobber wants 500 dozen waists for immediate delivery, Georgette and crepe de chine, $30 per dozen, terms 8-10. Madison Square 4359.

WAISTS Wanted.—Jobber open for cotton and silk waists. Z 298 Times Annex.

WOOL JERSEY Wanted.—All weights and colors. Madison Square 7353.

Offerings to Buyers

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BINDINGS, tapes, cotton and cable cord, closing out below cost. H 80 Times.

BROADCLOTH AND SERGES, 11433, 0936, 6234, 7614, 6301, 4040, 1210, 767, 228. Madison Square 3192.

BROADCLOTH.—All colors, for trimmings. I. Tager & Son, 34 W. 21st St. Chelsea 9612.

CHEVIOT in Pekin and tan; cheap. Call Frank & Frank. Farragut 602.

CHIFFON.—100 pieces, all shades, 42½c. Butterfly Dress Co., 142 West 24th, Chelsea 8698.

COATS.—We wish to announce our complete 1918 Fall line of silk plush, cotton plush, and velour coats is ready for inspection. Ben Shapiro, 27 West 20th St. Chelsea 9770.

COATS AND SUITS.—Few hundred select garments at very reasonable prices; immediate deliveries. A. H. Hollander, 28 West 25th St.

COATS.—3,000 infants', children's, and juniors', on racks, for immediate delivery. Rosh & Mayers, 17 West 28th St.

COATS.—Exceptional values of juniors', misses', ladies' for jobbers, retailers. Alex. Kogut, 129 West 22d St.

COATS.—Poplin, velour, burella, and serges in high shades. J. Kerosteff & Son, 36 West 20th St.

COATS.—Fall line, 1918, for jobbing trade, ready for inspection. I. Zelikow & Son, 18-21 West 24th St.

COATS.—200 last year's Spring coats, 100 silk plush coats, to be closed out at a sacrifice. Gilbert & Rosenblatt, 11 East 31st St.

COATS, SUITS.—Snappy Spring styles, extraordinary coats, $7.75. Talbot Co., 114 West 27th.

COATS.—Wonderful values in better-grade coats, in stock, popular priced. I. Novick & Co., 46 West 27th.

COATS, SUITS.—Best on market, approved by people who know; prices right; styles to date. Shapiro & Davis, 29 West 35th St.

COATS.—Sale purposes; velours, kerseys, broadcloths, plushes, fur-trimmed. Hutner, 48 West 25th St.

COATS AND SUITS, Spring, $35,000, to close out cheap. Hutner, 48 West 25th.

COATS.—Infants', children's, 500, for out-of-town jobbers. Hutner, 48 West 25th.

COATS.—Stouts and automobile coats; immediate delivery. J. Dunn, 127 West 25th St.

COATS.—Spring line ready; large stock for immediate delivery. Schulman, 27 W. 29th.

COATS for immediate delivery; $6.75 up. T. Weinberg & Son, 38 West 26th.

COATS.—Desirable lot ladies', misses' auto-sport coats, close out. Stuy. 1704.

COATS. — Flappers for hard-to-fit girls. Julius Goldstein, 153 West 23d.

CORDUROY, Boyd's, 32 inches, green and rose, for sale. Farragut 3334.

COTTON GOODS, sateens, and taffetas, blacks and colors, also fancies, below market. The Greenwald Co., 1,261 Broadway. Mad. Sq. 8832.

COTTON GOODS.—200 pieces, 32-inch, black imported Grand Marquise Venetian, price 38½c net cash. Phone Spring 9265.

COTTON POPLINS.—Striped assorted shades, close out below market price. Farragut 3990.

CREPE DE CHINES, Georgettes, and Satins, —All colors; immediate delivery. J. L. Sachs, 315 4th Av. Gramercy 3445-3446.

CROCHET COTTON.—700 doz. spools assorted. Regina Embr. Co., 26 West 17th.

DRESSES AND SUITS.—High-class models, each different; exceptional opportunity for high-class specialty shop; reasonable. Belle Masucci Model Co., 132 Madison Av. Madison Square 5293.

DRESSES.—Account retiring from business, will close out cheap 500 dresses, children's, juniors', and ladies' lace, voile, gingham, silk, and chiffon. Subin, 36 West 20th St.

DRESSES. — High-grade models in wool jerseys, serge, and silk dresses; big values; immediate delivery. Ansonia Dress and Costume Mfg. Co., 56 West 35th. Greeley 5995.

DRESSES.—Desirable jobs, including good samples, at reduction; also 500 for immediate delivery; price $6.75 to $16.50. Franco-American Dress Co., 56 West 22d.

DRESSES.—Silks, crepe de chines, striped taffetas, foulards, $5.75 up; immediate deliveries. Nathan Nathanson & Co., 148 West 23d.

DRESSES.—We have a nice line ladies' silk dresses; all assorted colors and sizes; sell reasonable. L. Rosen Co., 18 West 17th St.

DRESSES. — A lot of dresses, silks and serges; good quality. Big N Dress Co., 15 West 26th St.

DRESSES.—Beautiful, up to the minute party, evening dresses, closing out. Bryant 8691.

DRESSES.—Wool jerseys, silks, serges, ginghams of better grade. Glockner, 40 West 27th.

DRESSES. — Silk striped, taffetas, satins, crepes, georgettes, $5.75 up. Hutner, 48 West 25th St.

DRESSES of mannish serge, excellent styles, at reduced prices; also silk dresses. Lorraine Dress Company, 41 West 25th.

DRESSES.—Desirable jobs, including road samples at reductions. King & Applebaum, 39 West 32d St.

DRESSES.—Georgettes, crepes, taffetas; immediate delivery, $6.75 up. Ruby, 116 West 29th.

DRESSES.—Serges, silks; snappy styles; sacrifice to clear racks. Deutsch, 23 West 32d.

DRESSES.—Taffetas and Georgettes, close out at price. Simon, 137 West 27th.

DRESSES (500) serges; better grade; snappy; close out. Bodow, 145 Madison Av.

DRESSES. — Serges, silks; assorted styles; close $6.75 up. Queen, 149 West 36th.

DRESSES. — Uptown showroom. Blatz Brothers & Love, 32 East 31st St.

GINGHAM.—Assorted Amoskeag, bleached madras, in stripes; will exchange for plain chambrays. Tel. Farragut 9918.

GINGHAMS.—Large plaids. United States Textile Co., 200 5th Av. Gramercy 4356.

HOSIERY.—2, 2½, 3 pound wool, and army rejects, for immediate delivery. Murray Hosiery Co., 467 Broadway.

KIT CONEY collars, cuffs, and edging our specialty; place your orders now at early prices. Shulmowitz & Sussman, 120 West 29th. Farragut 2713.

LACES.—Account retiring from business, will sell cheap assorted muslin ribbon, cotton and silk nets, chiffon, georgettes, shadow and val laces, embroideries, velveteen, and buttons. Subin, 36 West 20th St.

LININGS.—Fancy printed silk and cotton below market price. Room 1210, 200 5th Av.

MACKINAWS.—American Woolen Co. mackinaws and overcoatings. M. Weil, 404 4th Av. Madison Square 4520.

Offerings to Buyers

50 Cents per agate line each insertion.

PANAMAS.—227, 228, 230. Israel Cummings & Brother, 28 West 25th St. Farragut 5390.

PANAMA.—Whitman's 1305, 36 inches, half wool. Farr. 3990.

PANAMAS, Serges.—B. J. W. check; immediate delivery. Wellington Woolen Co., 1,133 Broadway.

PANAMAS and poplins; will sell cheap 228, 227, 6802, 7802, 4945, 1067. Warren Woolen Co., 41 West 25th St. Farragut 2180.

PANAMA-PACIFIC tan and copen to close out cheap. 5376 Chelsea.

PEAU DE CYGNE, apple green and gold, reasonable. Frank & Frank. Farragut 602.

PEAU DE CYGNES, $1.10 quality; close 80c.; high shades. Marks Co., 354 4th Av.

POIRET TWILL, 4976, black, $2.50; 4978, black, $2.67½. George G. Wood, 105 Madison Av.

POPLINS.—Susquehanna, silk and wool, black. Altholz, 30 West 26th. Farragut 9654.

POPLINS AND SERGE, 8158, N. P. L. 767, 7301, 5500, V. S. L. 54289, 7120, also 106. Telephone Farragut 6386.

POPLINS, failles, bengalines, satins, 36 and 40 inches; immediate delivery. Bradford, 7895 Madison Square.

POPLINS.—American poplin and velours, 7301, serge, all wool plaid velours and mixtures. Farragut 5886.

POPLINS, Serges, and Gabardines for sale; all high shades. Farragut 9520.

POPLIN 8158, Amoskeag, Bedford woolen. Madison Square 2195.

POPLINS.—Will sell American poplins, velour, and serge, all colors. Farragut 2463.

POPLINS.—Whitman's 767, serge 104, navy blue. Madison Square 5344.

SATIN.—Have 25 pieces cotton back liberty satin, width 36 inches, 50c per yard. 423 4th Av., store.

SATIN FOULARD.—35-inch, in colors, 80c. Rosenberg, Madison Square 6036.

SERGES AND POPLINS.—519, 528, 767, 781, 87, 54289, 11433, 4408, S. B. G. L., C. S. G., 6301, 4040, 1305, 10, 104, 99, P. G. L. Shainberg & Schoenfeld, 257 4th Av. Gramercy 1989.

SERGES.—1210, navy, and colors, at 50 cents, and cotton serge, all colors, mostly navy, at 21 cents. A. Goldberg & Bros., 134 West 26th St.

SERGES.—7120, 11433, 519, 1210, 87, C. F. L. 54289. Israel Cummings & Brother, 28 West 25th St. Farragut 5390.

SERGES.—Will sell cheap 0936, 6301 tan, P. G. L., 5500, 6122, 3665, 87, 1210. Warren Woolen Co., 41 West 25th. Farragut 2180.

SERGES.—Botany 11554, all colors; also gray vigoreaux; also American poplins. Farragut 257.

SERGES.—Amoskeag 7301, Fastolite 1166, 2492, all navy. Lester Co., 216 Greene. Phone Spring 5397.

SERGES.—50 pieces navy, Bochman's, style 1527, 58-inch cotton warp. Ideal Woolen Co., Madison Sq 9479.

SERGES.—104, 99, 528, 9056, 6120, 7120, 11433, 54289, WFX, SBGL, CSG, and 1210. Chas. Globus, 330 4th Av. Mad. Sq. 488.

SERGES.—S. B. G. L. and cotton serges, all colors; below market. Levin, 149 West 36th.

SERGES.—U. S. 235, 838. C. Goldman Co., Farragut 5759.

SERGE.—Cotton warp, 50 inches; 75 pieces navy. Farragut 9930.

SERGE.—11433, black, navy, rookey. Phone Farragut 9975.

SERGES, gabardines, Poiret twill, navy and copen, taffetas. Top floor, 32 West 20th.

SERGES.—Will sell 104 Whitman and 3649 Lorrain black. Farragut 444.

SERGE, P. W., 4050, navy, black and white check, 54-inch. Farragut 2980.

SERGES.—Will sell all wool French serges, navy. Farragut 3073.

SERGE.—Botany 11433. Phone after 12, Fordham 1472.

SERGES, coverts, poplins. Columbus 4544.

SILKS.—A broad silk concern, manufacturing georgettes and crepe de chines, would like to be connected with a jobber or direct man to buy about 4,000 yards weekly for cash. Z 262 Times Annex.

SILKS, Taffetas, Georgettes, wash satins, Duchess, poplins, radium taffetas, crepes, meteors, fancy linings, peau de cygnes; all grades and colors; imm. del. our specialty. Marks Co., 354 4th Av. Mad. Sq. 9380.

SILKS.—Striped and Jacquard shirtinks to close. Chelsea 2674.

SILKS.—Jap silks, white 5, 6, 8, 10 M. Telephone Spring 6274.

SILK SKIRTS.—Striped and plain taffeta, $2.25 up. Nivel, 151 West 36th.

SKIRTS.—Silk poplins, taffetas, and fancies, $2.25 net for manufacturers and jobbers. Lauretta Skirt Co., Inc., 450 4th Av.

SKIRTS.—Discarded samples, assorted styles, to close; woolens. Ford, 149 West 36th.

SUITS.—$6.90 to $22.50, all shades; also silk suits; immediate delivery. Hirschhorn Bros., 12 West 27th St.

SUITS.—Of American Woolen Co. poplin; smart styles, $9.85. Greenberg, 127 West 25th.

SUITS, COATS.—Spring styles, to close out. Mfg. Clearing House, 1,170 Broadway.

SUITS for immediate delivery; $6.75 up. T. Weinberg & Son, 38 West 26th.

TAFFETAS.—Colored, Georgettes, satins, crepe de chines, washable satins; immediate delivery. H. Letzter Co., 1 East 28th St. Madison Square 3313-3314.

TAFFETAS, wash satins, 36-inch, 40-inch, for immediate delivery. Sigmund Heyman, 257 4th Av. Telephone Gramercy 1240.

TAFFETA D. G.—Dery navy and black; also silk and cotton poplins; 40-inch width. Farragut 4072.

TRICOTINE 4768, Garfield, all shades, $3 net; American poplin 6700½, navy and black, $1.70 net; U. S. serge 838, navy, $2.30 net. 2138 Madison Square.

TRICOTINE.—Six pieces each, tan and navy; F. & H., $3.25 net. Phone Farragut 5376.

TRICOTINE.—Poiret twill, all colors. Farragut 4868.

TRICOTINES.—Garfields and botany, all colors. Charles Goldman Co., Farragut 5759.

TOYS.—$15,000 worth of popular toys; a bargain. John Kunst, 72 Murray St.

VELOUR.—F. and H. Duvet de Laine 526-808, two pieces. Orchard 2067.

VELOURS.—5816 Botany Worsted Mills; Spring shades. Farragut 3290.

VELOURS.—American 0360, Stevens 4281, 0936 serge, ⅜ meltons. Gramercy 4409.

VELOURS.—American 0360, all colors. Phone Mr. Lipschitz, Mad. Square 8102.

VELVETEENS.—27-inch, twill black, rose, and peach. Farragut 3334.

VOILE.—30 cases of 50 pieces each, 39-40 inch, single, single voile, fully mercerized and clean; one of the best domestic makes. Twelfth floor, 36 East 31st.

WAISTS.—Jobs cotton waists, colored, $3.50 dozen; juniors' and misses' dresses to close out cheap. Levi Bros., 55 West 3d.

WOOL JERSEY.—Have for sale 30 pieces, all colors, $2.50 net; no discount. Phone 5376 Farragut.

WOOL JERSEY to sell, all colors. Madison Square 5464.

YARNS.—Hand knitting, for sweaters and socks; immediate delivery. Mishell, 1,170 Broadway.

Contracts Offered.

CONTRACTORS wanted on high-grade Georgette dresses and jerseys. Call on the third floor, 12 West 31st St.

Help Wanted.

COLLECTION AND OFFICE MANAGER Wanted.—We desire the services of a man who has had extensive experience in handling a great number of installment accounts; must have ability to direct men in a cooperative spirit; for one qualified to fill this position this is an excellent opportunity; applications will be treated confidentially if so desired. Apply in writing only, giving full particulars, including salary expected, to the Uneeda Credit Clothing Co., 907 Broadway, Brooklyn.

SALESMAN.—Young man as salesman in showroom of large ladies' coat house; salary basis; must have experience; the right man will find plenty of opportunity for advancement. Apply Wm. Fischman, 15 East 26th.

BOOKKEEPER AND TYPIST, experienced double entry; capable taking care of business, correspondence. Crescent Cap Co., 22 West 4th.

ASSISTANT to buyer of notions and fancy goods, young man, 17 or 18 years old; experience not necessary. R 37 Times.

BOOKKEEPER and TYPIST.—Experienced; best references, for fur trade. Liebman Bros., 359 7th Av.

YOUNG MAN wanted to pack drugs for retail trade; must have previous experience. 215-217 Mercer St.

CORRESPONDENT wanted on cancelation work; must have credit experience. R 35 Times.

COMMERCIAL PAPER.

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Dry Goods Trade Going Ahead.

It is said that reports from the large department stores all over the country indicate that the dry goods trade, taken as a whole is going ahead of last year on something more than a normal rate of increase. Spring merchandise seems to be moving over the counter in good volume, though it is admitted that this early start is due in great part to the early Easter this year. The greatly increased business in the larger manufacturing centres of the country is said to amount to a good deal more than the small falling off in trade which has been recorded in some few sections. Where business has registered an increase, most of the new buying seems to have been in the better grades of merchandise, which tends further to swell the total in dollars and cents.

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Small Hats in Favor.

The small turban, whether of horsehair or straw, is about the most popular shape in Spring hats, according to reports from a number of the largest manufacturers of millinery in this city. There are said to be large numbers of buyers in town this week from many sections, and practically all of them seem to prefer small hats to anything else. Buying is said to be on a fairly heavy scale, and the prediction is freely made that the total business for the season, despite the dull outlook at the start, will be unusually large. The demand for bright colors, which developed a few weeks ago, continues unabated, and many believe that this shift is partly responsible for the active buying which has set in.

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Good Buying in Neckwear.

The market for women's neckwear in this city is said to be very active. Foulard knot ties seem to be much in demand, and bright colors and white in other pieces are reported to be the most popular. With plain tailored suits so much in vogue, there is said to be developing a strong market for jabots of net and lace. High collars seem to be more in favor than other types, though flat shapes, both round and square-cornered, are still sought by many buyers. There is said to be a very noticeable tendency toward the better grades of merchandise, particularly in the cases of those retailers who have increased their orders over last year.

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Rubber Buyers Lack Interest.

Important buyers of crude rubber continue to lack interest in current offerings in the local market, but in spite of this prices are fairly well sustained. Up-river fine was quoted yesterday at 57 cents for spot shipment, with similar positions of up-river coarse and upper Caucho ball held, respectively, at 36 and 35 cents. Spot quotations on first latex crepe and smoked sheets were the same—56½ cents—but March shipments of the former could be had for 54½ cents. March deliveries of smoked sheets were quoted half a cent lower than that.

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Hard Coal Still Scarce.

The Coal Trade Journal will say today that during the last week there has been scarcely enough anthracite available in this market to care for the immediate needs of domestic users and other consumers on the preferred list. So far as supply is concerned the situation is about as tight as ever, but demand is less hectic. The improvement in car supply at bituminous mines has been such that a substantially larger tonnage is being shipped than at any time since about Dec. 10, when weather conditions first began to hamper the railroads. The recovery reflects the passing of the worst stage of the Winter season, but beyond that there has been little in recent developments to inspire optimism in trade circles.

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Separate Skirt Makers Busy.

Separate skirt manufacturers in this city report that they are more concerned just now with the matter of making deliveries than they are with booking very much further business. There is said to have been a substantial demand for merchandise from practically all parts of the country, and apparently most of the early Spring business has been placed. Though more or less plain skirts have been the feature of the buying thus far, many attractive and some very elaborate draped effects have also sold. Taffetas and satins in the silks, and serges in the woolens seem to have been the most popular fabrics. Some novelty silks have also been well taken, and corduroys are proving popular with many buyers. Sports skirts have been particularly well sought this year, and in these garments corduroy and novelty silks seem to play the leading part.

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A Distinction in Shoes.

Never, according to experienced shoe men, has the line between women's shoes for street and dress wear been so sharply drawn as at present. This distinction has already manifested itself in the increased use of Cuban heeled boots for street wear, and the point is rapidly being reached where a woman will be regarded as showing poor taste in dress if she appears out of doors, for instance, in a tailored suit and French heeled shoes. Vice versa, a woman who wears Cuban heels with "dressy" outer garments will be considered not up with the mode.

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Three Per Cent. Not Absurd.

Some comment has been caused in local business circles by the recent publication in THE TIMES of the statement by an executive of a local dry goods store that the cost of giving samples in that store amounts to 3 per cent. of the sales of the piece goods departments. In certain quarters it is asserted that that figure is "absurd," and the result of hasty calculation. On the other hand, a man who is well-known to the retail dry goods trade of the country asserted yesterday that a sample cost of 3 per cent., while high, was by no means an absurdity. He further said that he knew personally of stores in which the sample cost ran well above 3 per cent.

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Might Work to Better Advantage.

There is a belief in certain quarters of the local retail trade that the "powers that be" at Washington might be of more assistance to merchants in reducing expenses and conserving profits if they took a different tack. Specifically, the suggestion is made that if less attention was paid to plans for cutting down deliveries, for instance, and more to showing consumers why they should meet their obligations promptly, better results might be obtained. It is said that delivery costs in well-managed stores are already at as low a figure as is consistent with satisfactory service, and that little can be hoped for in the way of further economy in that direction. On the other point, however, it was shown how "slow" customers are constantly costing stores money by forcing them either to lose their discounts or to reduce them through having to borrow funds with which to earn them.

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Gray Goods Press Upward.

Prices in the local gray goods market continue to press upward, with buyers still hard after everything that the mills can or will sell. Full prices were paid yesterday on nearby deliveries of 39-inch 80 squares, 38½-inch 60-52s and 60-48s. An unconfirmed rumor was heard of sales of 38½-inch 64-60s at 14½ cents for immediate delivery, but this was believed to be a quarter higher than buyers really would go for the time being. With heavy sheetings pretty well sold up for some time to come, buyers are now giving their attention to some of the lighter constructions. Business for September-October delivery was done yesterday at 13 cents on 36-inch 5.50s, and September sales of five-yard goods of the same width were reported at 14½ cents. The latter price was also asked for contracts of 31-inch five-yard goods, due to the call for them and their general scarcity at the moment. Printcloth prices averaged this way at the close:

39-inch, 80-80s	18c	38½-inch, 64-60s	14¼c
39-inch, 72-76s	17c	38½-inch, 64-56s	13¾c
39-inch, 68-72s	15¼c	38½-inch, 60-52s	13c
39-inch, 56-44s	11¾c	38½-inch, 60-48s	12¾c
38½-inch, 64-64s	14¾c	27-inch, 64-60s	10¾c

DANGEROUS WORK.

A British wiring party setting out on the duty of repairing wire defenses makes an interesting picture in The New York Times Mid-Week Pictorial this week. On all news stands, 10 cents—$5 a year by mail. Times Square, New York. —Advt.

BLAMES GARFIELD FOR COAL SHORTAGE

Reed Says Fuel Administrator Blundered and Warns of Worse Next Winter.

WANTS PRICES ANNOUNCED

Industry Must Be Rescued from Chaos, or Production Will Be Inadequate, Senator Holds.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Inability of the Fuel Administration to grasp the fuel problem was advanced as a reason for the coal shortage this Winter in a "statement of facts" offered in the Senate today by Senator Reed of Missouri as a member of the Manufactures Committee, which recently conducted an inquiry into the fuel crisis. Senator Reed characterized as "absurd" the statement of Fuel Administrator Garfield that unprecedented demand was responsible for the shortage, together with lack of transportation facilities.

"The fact is that the failure to secure coal where it was needed must be laid at the door of those agencies of the Government that had assumed control of the mines and transporation of the country," said Senator Reed. "It cannot be claimed that there was an unprecedented demand, for there was not. On the contrary, the problem the Fuel Administration faced was much smaller than those successfully solved in previous years by individual merchants."

Bungling of priority orders, delay in fixing prices, the urging of the Fuel Administration upon the public not to hurry about buying coal for the Winter, and failure to use skilfully the sweeping power bestowed upon the Fuel Administrator by Congress, were set forth as the underlying reasons for the shortage. Senator Reed insisted that there was no occasion for any shortage, as ample coal could have been mined, while the Government had at its disposal every facility to see that coal was moved to the consumer.

Warning as to Next Winter.

The Missouri Senator sounded a warning that, unless the coal situation were at once taken in hand, with a view to providing for next Winter's supply, a shortage worse than that experienced this Winter would occur. The Fuel Administration, he urged, ought to outline its future policy without delay, letting the coal producers know what prices were to be paid, and what the demand was to be, while arranging with the Railroad Director for adequate transportation.

"No great business can prosper unless the conditions under which it is to be conducted are reasonably stable," argued Senator Reed. "Amid the chaos now existing in the coal business, from the mine to the retail yard, one fact indisputably appears, that uncertainty must at once give place to stability, or we will in the near future be confronted by a coal shortage of the most disastrous character.

"What coal producer can be expected to expend large sums of money to increase the output of his mine when he is informed in advance that the prices he will in the future be allowed to charge are subject to change at any moment by individuals over whom he has no control and who may be either informed or uninformed on coal costs or conditions? What coal producer can safely make contracts when he is informed that his contract is at any moment liable to be annulled? Such a contract ceases to have any real force. It cannot be relied upon as a basis for any kind of calculation or business enterprise.

"It seems equally plain that the consumers of coal must be told with reasonable certainty what coal prices and what coal contracts they can rely upon. A denial of this places them in a position of uncertainty, so that they do not know what contracts they dare make or what plans for the future they can safely lay down.

"Whatever division of opinion there may be on other questions, it seems to me, in view of the fact that practically all coal contracts will terminate on the 1st of April, there should be an announcement of prices which will be permitted and of contracts which will be allowed, and that a fixed period of time should be stated within which the business world may safely calculate and contract.

"It is plain that the prices allowed to be charged must be reasonably remunerative. If this is denied, the maximum of production cannot be expected.

"It also seems too clear for dispute that restrictions upon business ought to be reduced to a minimum; that experimentation and guesswork concerning a great fundamental business upon which all other business to a large extent depends, ought to cease.

"Obviously, this fundamental business ought not to be wrested from experienced hands and taken over by those who, however good their intentions, are utterly lacking in that knowledge essential to its successful conduct."

Reviews Alleged Blunders.

Blaming the Fuel Administration for having failed to speed up mining activity, Senator Reed referred to Dr. Garfield's statement before the Manufactures Committee that an advance of 50,000,000 tons over the 1917 output would have met the Winter's demands. In 1917, the Senator said, 544,261,000 tons were mined, and an increased activity of 5.97 per cent. would have filled the gap between that output and the demand for the last Winter.

"That the mines are capable of producing an adequate supply is shown by the circumstance that the mines which were in April producing approximately 1,000,000 tons per day under a stimulus of high prices had increased their production up to July 14 to 1,905,000 tons per day, the largest production in the history of the United States before or since," said the Missourian.

Senator Reed went into the Government's hesitancy over fixing coal prices last Summer and spoke of the schedule fixed by Secretary Lane having been upset by Secretary Baker, entailing delay.

"Instead of fixing a miximum price high enough to permit production, and at the same time to insure the public against extortion, months of valuable time were allowed to slip by," he said. "During this period the public was advised not to lay in a supply of coal.

"On Nov. 17 came the first really alarming statement, to the effect that 'if voluntary economy, added to the increased production, does not provide enough fuel for the war and to keep our people warm, there will come a time when some limitation will have to be imposed upon manufacturers of non-war products.'

"Even as late as Nov. 14 the Fuel Administration had informed the country that a survey of the coal situation showed that consumption would exceed production by 50,000,000 tons. Nevertheless, the statement was made that the Fuel Administration 'will take steps to increase production, facilitate transportation, and enforce the most economical use of the available coal supply' and 'that the Fuel Administration is determined that war industries, public utilities, and domestic consumers shall be supplied.'"

Senator Reed criticised the action of the Fuel Administration in causing arbitrary shipments of coal to be made to the Northwest and Canada, in excess of the consumption of 1916, as having deprived the Middle West of its required output, while the East suffered from what he called lack of management of the product of eastern mines.

"The coal sent to the Northwestern States and Canada in excess of their consumption for 1916 was 6,877,550 tons, or 1,964,655 tons more than enough to have bunkered all of the ships leaving New York, Boston, Philadelphia, and Hampton Roads for foreign ports during the year 1917," said the Senator. "If one-tenth of the energy expended in getting a surplus of coal to the Northwest and to Canada had been expended in delivering bunkering coal, no ship had been obliged to remain in port for a single hour because of the lack of fuel.

Waste of Transportation.

"The tremendous shortage in coal supplies of the East, particularly the New England States, is well understood. This portion of the country gets the greater part of its coal from Pennsylvania and West Virginia, and is so situated that the haul of coal is reasonably short. In this section of the country are located many great war plans, as well as vast factories essential to the maintenance of our industrial activity. Yet the coal was hauled away from these places of sharpest demand and a shortage created where is would do the greatest injury.

"At the same time, the draft upon the transportation facilities of the country was correspondingly magnified, and this in the teeth of the fact that the production of the mines had already been greatly reduced for lack of railroad transportation. Instead of short and direct hauls, so that the maximum use of the railway facilities could be achieved, we find the transportation of the country being employed to haul unnecessary amounts of coal away from the place at which it was most needed to places where it was least needed; thus thousands of miles of transportation was worse than wasted."

The Missouri Senator sharply criticised the shut-down of industries by order of the Fuel Administrator.

"On the face of what Dr. Garfield said in explanation of this order it would appear that a great number of ships were tied up in our harbors for want of coal, and that, solely because he closed the factories east of the Mississippi, Dr. Garfield was able to reduce that number of ships so held to the splendid total of 180," said Senator Reed. "This impression could not be intended, because figures of the Shipping Board show that in all ports of the United States on Jan. 17 there were 620 vessels of 1,000 tons and over, while on Jan. 29 there were still 564 vessels in port. That is to say, there had been a net reduction since the order went into effect of 56 vessels. Of course, vessels were coming and going all the time, as they had for years, but any pretense that all the vessels cleared were to be credited to the closing order is merely absurdity.

"The Fuel Administrator congratulates himself upon having finally succeeded in getting enough coal to the boats so they could transact business, but the statement is at the same time a confession that the boats during all this time had been compelled to lie idle at their docks for want of coal, although for months mines and transportation had alike been under the control of the Government. The question remains to be answered, Why were the boats allowed to be without bunker coal?"

WAGE BOARD HEARINGS END.

Increases to be Recommended to McAdoo Within a Month.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Hearings before the Railroad Wage Commission in its work of making recommendations for the most extensive wage adjustment ever undertaken were concluded today. It was said officially that the commission's decisions as to what classes of the 1,250,000 railroad workers should receive increases and the amounts of the increases would be communicated to the Director General in less than a month, possibly by March 15.

PLAN FREIGHT DELIVERY AID

Committee Named at Conference to Assist Congestion Relief.

To draft plans for better war-time delivery of freight from railroad piers and stations to consignees in New York City a series of conferences, called at the suggestion of Director General of Railroads W. G. McAdoo, was begun yesterday at the offices of the Public Service Commission. The conferences are being attended by the Committee on Freight Congestion, composed of representatives of the Interstate Commerce Commission, the New York Public Service Commission, New Jersey Public Utilities Commission, committees of railroad officials, of members of the Merchants' Association, Traffic Club, Board of Trade and Transportation, New York Team Owners' Association, and the Freight Transfer Association.

Because of the congested situation here, Mr. McAdoo suggested that the Committee on Freight Congestion hold conferences with the committees which have been working on plans for the better handling of shipments so that recommendations might be made to him for bettering the delivery of freight here as well as considering problems that will arise later.

Long Island Troop Train Record.

The Long Island Railroad issued a statement last night saying that the movement of troops to and from Long Island cantonments in the five-day holiday period ended Monday night constituted a record-breaking performance for an American railroad. Fifty thousand men were moved on ninety-six trains in a brief space of time without interfering with usual traffic.

Car Shortage Cuts Coal Delivery.

The Guyan Valley Coal Operators' Association, an organization of bituminous coal producers, has prepared figures which show that a shortage of cars at mines along the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway in December and January prevented the shipment of 4,665,305 tons of coal. In December, the association reports 3,943,125 tons would have gone to the consuming public if cars had been provided, whereas only 1,689,410 tons actually moved out from the mines. In January, with one more working day than December, 4,042,350 tons would have been shipped with sufficient cars available, but 1,630,760 tons was the total delivered. The tonnage actually loaded on cars was equivalent to the product of 9.64 days of working time in December, and 9.44 days in January. The association's statement, made public yesterday, says that 448 mines are covered in the figures.

Uptown Club Discusses Plans.

At an informal luncheon of the recently organized Uptown Club in Delmonico's yesterday it was decided by the 200 members present to lease quarters in the neighborhood of Fifth Avenue and Forty-second Street and to limit the membership to 1,000. George McAneny, Vice President, presided, and Lawrence E. Elliman, Robert Adamson, and others outlined the part the club hopes to play in improving business and social conditions and in helping support the war. The members will meet with the Governors at Delmonico's next Tuesday.

Weather in Cotton and Grain States.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Forecast:

N. C., S. C., Ga., and Fla.—Fair Wed. and Thurs.

Ala. and Miss.—Fair and warmer Wed.; rains and warmer Thurs.

Tenn. and Ky.—Fair Wed.; cloudy and warmer Thurs.

Ohio and Ind.—Fair and warmer Wed.; fair Thurs.

Mich.—Cloudy and warmer Wed.; fair Thurs.

La. and Ark.—Fair and warmer Wed.; fair and colder Thurs.

Texas—Fair and warmer Wed.; fair and colder Thurs.

Mo.—Increasing cloudiness Wed. Thurs., probably rain or snow.

Miss.—Mostly cloudy and colder Wed. Thurs., fair and colder.

Iowa—Cloudy Wed.

N. and S. Dak.—Fair and colder Wed. and Thurs.

Kan.—Cloudy Wed. Thurs., probably fair and colder.

BANKS ARE WARNED TO AVOID RIVALRY

Reserve Board Frowns on Competition for Deposits, Bringing Higher Interest Rates.

FEARS DISTURBING LOANS

Harding Declares Practice Might Promote Rather Than Check Inflationary Tendencies.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Competition for money has developed so keenly, according to reports coming to the Federal Reserve Board, that banking centres are engaging in practices to increase deposits, which, sooner or later, may lead to conditions radically subversive of the purpose of the reserve system. The situation is described as sporadic, but, nevertheless, growing more extensive from week to week.

The race for resources, stimulated by the unprecedented demands imposed by the requirements of war finance, has impelled banks here and there to offer higher rates of interest on deposit balances. As a result large commercial firms are depositing outside their immediately tributary reserve districts in order to obtain the difference in the rate of interest. At present, according to Reserve Board officers, the practice is in its infancy and serious results have not developed.

It is said, however, that unless checks are imposed upon the demand for money to take up Treasury certificates and eventually to subscribe to the next issue of Liberty bonds the interest rate may be so increased as to unsettle and unbalance the adequate distribution of reserves throughout the country, and restore the conditions that existed before the creation of the reserve system.

Governor W. P. G. Harding, speaking today for the Federal Reserve Board, said that it was not just now clear what remedy was at hand to apply to the correction of the practice complained of, but that sooner or later there would necessarily be some action to maintain the integrity and level of money reserves throughout the country. Governor Harding said:

"The Federal Reserve Board regrets exceedingly to learn of the disposition evidenced by banks in various sections of the country to increase rates of interest allowed on deposits. It is unfortunate that any bank or group of banks should undertake, especially at the present time, to increase deposits by offering unusual inducements in the way of interest, and it follows that any aggressive steps which may be taken by any bank to increase its deposits at the expense of other banks will doubtless be met by protective measures on the part of banks whose business is subjected to attack.

"The board does not believe that the inducement of a higher rate of interest on deposits will bring any more real money into the banks, and it feels that the result of a general increase in the interest rate on deposits will be either an added burden to borrowers in the shape of higher interest and discount rates, or the bringing about of conditions which would put the banking business upon an unprofitable basis, thereby weakening our entire banking structure.

"The loans and deposits of banks have increased enormously during the last three years, and it would seem to be the part of wisdom for the banks to undertake to place themselves in a position to continue to aid the Government in its financial operations by curtailing unnecessary credits and by encouraging their depositors to buy Treasury certificates and Government bonds, even though there be some shrinkage in their deposits as a consequence. Banks should remember that when deposits are reduced, reserves are released. Reckless competition for deposits, supported by high interest rates, will tend to force the Government to pay higher rates, thereby imposing additional burdens on the people, and any forced and artificial expansion of banking credits will promote rather than check inflationary tendencies, which should be guarded against at the present time.

"There does not seem to be any demand on the part of depositors for increased rates on interest on their balances, and the board wishes it understood that it does not favor any movement to increase these rates, and that it will do all in its power to discourage it. It sincerely hopes that these banks which have unduly advanced their rates will consider well the consequences involved, and that they will, as far as possible, do their part toward restoring rates to the former level."

STEEL TRADE IMPROVING.

Manufacturers Look Ahead to Rapidly Growing Output.

Operating conditions in the steel and iron trade have improved in the last seven days, since milder weather arrived and the transportation problem became easier, to a degree which encourages manufacturers to look ahead to a rapidly expanding output. E. H. Gary, Chairman of the Steel Corporation, said yesterday that the blast furnaces were working at 75 per cent of capacity, while ingot production was at about 85 per cent., and finishing mill output at a level between 80 per cent. and 85 per cent. A week ago blast furnace operation was only slightly higher than 50 per cent., and the ingot and finishing facilities were engaged at approximately 60 per cent. of capacity.

Reports from the various subsidiary concerns of the Steel Corporation show that 43,251 employes have subscribed since Jan. 1 to common stock, the number of shares taken being 95,437. The subscription price was $92 a share. Last year 39,230 workers subscribed for 67,711 shares at $107 a share. The gain in the number of subscribers is figured to be proportionate to the increase of names on the payroll in January, 1918, over January, 1917, but the 40 per cent. expansion in the number of shares applied for reflects a greater growth of interest than was ever before shown. The stock is paid for on the installment plan.

UNITED CIGAR EARNINGS.

Net Profit of $3,423,501 in 1917 Gain of $363,568 Over 1916.

The United Cigars Stores Company reports a net profit of $3,423,501 for 1917, an increase of $363,568 over the net income in the preceding year. Due largely to a substantial reservation for the payment of Federal war taxes, the balance available for common stock dividends, amounting to $2,556,611, was equal to no more than $9.40 a share of common stock, against $10.09 in 1916. The tax reservation of $550,000 was equal to approximately 2 per cent. on the junior shares.

As the corporation is a holding company, the annual statement yesterday did not supply information in respect to the earnings of operating subsidiaries. The year's surplus was $451,556, a decline of $339,147. The total profit and loss surplus, as of Dec. 31, amounted to $3,683,216.

Putnam Division Connected Up.

The Public Service Commission announced yesterday that the connection between the elevated line at 155th Street and the Putnam Division of the New York Central Railroad would be put into operation on March 1. For two months passengers made the trip between the two points on a shuttle train. Eventually the through service will be extended via 162d Street to the Jerome Avenue line in the Bronx, which will give the residents of that region access for the first time to the west side elevated line for one fare.

ARRIVAL OF BUYERS

Arriving Buyers may register in this column by telephoning Bryant 1000.

AKRON, Ohio—L. G. Federman, clothing, hosiery, gloves; 116 West 32d; Imperial.

ALBANY, N. Y.—John G. Myers Co.; W. A. Findlay, coats, suits, waists; 220 5th Av.

ALTOONA, Penn.—L. Bergman, jobs Spring suits; 37 W. 26th.

ANN ARBOR, Mich.—Mills Co.; E. T. Mills, women's garments, millinery; Park Av.

ATHENS, Ga.—S. J. Boley Co.; L. Morris, domestics, men's furn. goods; Imperial.

ATLANTA, Ga.—Clein Bros.; M. Clein, clothing, hats; B'way Central.

BALTIMORE—Bernheimer Bros.; L. Michael, men's shirts, hosiery, underwear, hats, umbrellas, boys' wash suits; S. D. Sampson, skirts; 470 4th Av.

BALTIMORE—A. Eisenberg; S. Lustig, jewelry, leather goods, toilet goods, notions; 1,239 B'way. Marlborough.

BALTIMORE—Stewart & Co.; Miss L. H. Greaver, notions; 2 West 37th.

BALTIMORE—A. Eisenberg; L. Ludwig, ready-to-wear; 1,239 Broadway.

BALTIMORE—Oriole Dept. Store; M. E. Gundersheimer, women's, misses' ready-to-wear; Woodward.

BALTIMORE—Baltimore Bargain House; H. S. Messersmith, remnants; 354 4th Av.

BALTIMORE—Keystone Skirt Manufacturing Co.; S. Caplan, skirtings; Herald Square.

BALTIMORE—Hochschild, Kohn & Co.; Miss P. Louis, toys; 220 5th Av.

BALTIMORE—Baltimore Bargain House; W. A. Applewaite, hosiery, underwear; C. Mulliken, drug sundries; 354 4th Av.

BALTIMORE—Goldenberg Bros.; M. Schneeberger, jewelry, leather goods; M. Oppenheimer, wash goods, notions, linings; Longacre.

BALTIMORE—Stewart & Co.; A. J. Bernard, cloaks, suits, furs; 2 W. 37th.

BALTIMORE—Hochschild, Kohn & Co.; Mrs. L. Nelson, Miss D. Crew, millinery; 220 5th Av.

BALTIMORE—H. Sonneborn & Co.; B. Makover, woolens; 200 5th Av.

BALTIMORE—A. A. Brager; Miss N. Williams, jewelry, leather goods, ladies' neckwear; Imperial.

BALTIMORE—M. M. Bernstein & Co.; M. M. Bernstein, tie silks; 440 4th Av.

BALTIMORE—Schloss Bros. Co.; N. Schloss, woolens; 230 5th Av.

BEAVER FALLS, Penn.—B. Berkman, women's garments, furnishing goods; Imperial.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y.—Hills, McLean & Haskins; J. W. Harrington, dress goods, silks; Collingwood.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill.—Sentney & Miller; H. H. Miller, general mdse.; Continental.

BRIDGEPORT—Howland D. G. Co.; L. B. Withstanley, domestics, linens; W. E. Tiffney, ready-to-wear; W. H. Howe, toys, sporting goods; 404 4th Av.

BOSTON—Wm. Filene's Sons Co.; F. Phillips, ladies' coats; Mrs. Phillips, ladies' costumes, dresses; Mrs. Whitbeck, misses' costumes, dresses; Mrs. Gilman, girls', children's, juniors' coats, dresses, misses' skirts; W. Silberman, machine-made house dresses; Miss Kaleski, neckwear, veilings; T. Lyford, furs; Mr. Heller, men's overcoats. Basement buyers—Mr. Tripp, skirts; Miss Dartt, infants' wear, petticoats; Miss G. Williams, knit underwear, hosiery; Mr. O'Brien, coats, suits; V. P. Ring, dresses; Mr. Rafeld, girls', children's, juniors' coats, dresses; Mr. Schroeder, silk, muslin underwear; C. O. Cooper, general buyer; 116 W. 32d.

BOSTON—E. T. Slattery Co.; Miss Hahn, waists; 25 W. 33d.

BOSTON—R. H. Stearns & Co.; L. S. Root, silks; 200 5th Av.

BOSTON—A. I. Meyer, auto, rain coats; B'way Central.

BOSTON—Murphy Bros. Co.; Miss M. Norton, gloves, ribbons; Union Square.

BOSTON—Barron-Anderson Co.; A. B. Anderson, woolens; Imperial.

BOSTON—Thresher Bros.; J. Anderson, neckwear, veilings; Manhattan.

BOSTON—Farley-Harvey Co.; J. H. Walsh, wash goods; 103 Franklin.

BOSTON—Goldman, Silverman & Barbel; L. Goldman, cloaks, suits, mats; Latham.

BOSTON—Jordan-Marsh Co.; Miss B. Armstrong, ladies' suits, (basement;) G. L. Snyder, stationery; Miss O'Gorman, braids; Miss C. Snelling, lace goods; Miss N. Hamelsburg, women's neckwear; J. Hogan, white goods; J. J. O'Day, millinery, (basement;) Miss Altimus, women's coats, (basement;) Miss Dugrin, toys; W. London, trunks, leather goods; D. W. Edwards, millinery; J. Donovan, men's hosiery, underwear; G. Little, rugs; Miss Nolan, veilings; Mr. Bedley, laces; Miss Kelley, trimmings; C. L. Wentworth, stationery; Miss N. Thurlow, misses', children's cotton underwear; 432 4th Av.

BOSTON—Gilchrist Co.; J. N. Jowett, Miss Tannard, millinery; Mrs. Hirsch, silk waists, sweaters; Mr. Durant, Mr. Markowitz, boys' furnishings; Mrs. Quinn, junior coats, suits, skirts; basement; A. Cohen, suits, skirts, coats, dresses; 200 5th.

BOSTON—Conrad & Co.; Miss A. Johnson, coats; 15 East 26th.

BOSTON—E. Goldman & Co.; E. Goldman, piece goods; Breslin.

BOSTON—R. H. White Co.; Mrs. M. F. Hirsch, waists, sweaters; 470 4th Av.; Brostell.

BUFFALO—Hens & Kelly Co.; H. Keim, notions, leather goods; 1,133 B'way.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Givens; W. J. Shearn, ready-to-wear; 37 West 26th; Hermitage.

BUFFALO—Queen City Credit Clothing Co.; E. Frohman, clothing, coats, suits; 200 5th Av.

BUFFALO—J. N. Adam & Co.; Miss M. Lensenhuber, silverware, jewelry; 2 W. 37th.

BURLINGTON, Vt.—L. N. Currie Co.; L. N. Currie, gen'l mdse.; 404 4th Av.

CHICAGO—Aaron & Sherman; Mr. Aaron, skirts; 1,170 B'way, R. 610.

CHICAGO—Rothschild & Co.; Miss E. Brennan, china, cut glass, lamps; 470 4th Av.

CHICAGO—Boston Store; F. L. Millington, curtains, upholstery goods; 44 E. 23d.

CHICAGO—Duckstader & Sandberg; M. Sandberg, clothing; Flanders.

CHICAGO—C. Rubens & Co.; J. Benjamin, buttons; Park Av.

CHICAGO—Sears, Roebuck & Co.; H. C. Carson, women's, children's coats; C. M. Morgan, women's coats; E. A. Rieke, tapestry goods; 115 5th Av.

CHICAGO—Lawndale Clothing Co.; E. Layer, clothing, ready-to-wear; Aberdeen.

CHICAGO—Leavitt Bros.; H. Leavitt, infants' wear; Broadway Central.

CHICAGO—Hovland-Sardeson-McColm Co.; J. P. Hovland, coats, suits; 303 5th Av.

CHICAGO—Marshall Field & Co.; W. R. Bettcher, silks; T. E. Bossert, underwear; 1,107 Broadway.

CHICAGO—Mandel Brothers; Miss S. Bernstein, ladies' waists, muslin underwear; 13 East 22d.

CHICAGO—Chicago Mercantile Co.; G. L. Stonehill, flowers, feathers, ostrich plumes; 621 B'way.

CINCINNATI—Alms & Doepke Co.; A. F. Williams, upholstery goods; 350 B'way.

CINCINNATI—M. B. Schwenker; Mrs. M. B. Schwenker, coats, furs; Imperial.

CLEVELAND—Wm. Taylor, Son & Co.; W. T. Scholler, hosiery, underwear, boys' clothing; E. C. Wingenbach, waists; 470 4th Av.

CLEVELAND—May Co.; J. W. Moorehouse, housefurnishing goods, china, glassware; 37 W. 26th.

CLEVELAND—Anderson Millinery Co.; F. J. Stirgwolt, tailored, trimmed hats; Wolcott.

CLEVELAND—Browning King & Co.; T. J. Wise, boys', children's clothing; 16 Cooper Square.

CLEVELAND—William Taylor, Son & Co.; Mrs. P. Keyes, misses' wear; 470 4th Av.

CLEVELAND, Ohio—The Bailey Co.; Mr. Gans, jobs of jewelry; Mr. Kouback, leather goods, ribbons, notions; Mr. Kaplan, Spring furs; 37 W. 36th.

COLUMBUS, Ohio—W. H. Kelly Co.; G. C. Bauer, millinery, ready-to-wear; Imperial.

COLUMBUS, Ohio—The Union Co.; Miss G. Drake, women's furn. goods; 116 W. 32d.

COLUMBUS, Ga.—Boyce Bros. Co.; T. B. Boyce, crockery, china, glassware, table cutlery, toys, fancy goods; Grand.

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas—M. Lichtenstein & Sons; S. J. Lichtenstein, women's ready-to-wear, men's clothing; 116 W. 32d.

DANBURY—J. McLean, Inc.; E. G. Jessimer, linens, dry goods; McAlpin.

DES MOINES, Iowa—Younker Bros.; O. C. Mathis, men's furn. goods; C. Gerhardt, wash goods; D. Cohen, jewelry; 303 5th Av.

DETROIT—J. A. Landau, millinery; Cumberland.

DETROIT—S. A. S. Jacobs; women's, misses' coats, suits, dresses; McAlpin.

DETROIT—Newcomb-Endicott Co.; J. G. Scott, domestics; W. B. Whipple, linens, blankets; 200 5th Av.

EVANSVILLE, Ind.—H. E. Bacon Co.; R. C. Smith, general mdse.; 353 4th Av.

FALL RIVER, Mass.—D. F. Sullivan, general mdse.; D. J. Sullivan, notions; Breslin.

FORT SMITH, Ark.—Berry-Beall Dry Goods Co.; W. S. Beall, notions, furnishing goods; 43 Leonard.

GRIFFIN, Ga.—Clayton-Powell Clothing Co.; J. R. Powell, furnishing goods; P. J. Clayton, clothing; Imperial.

GRIFFIN, Ga.—B. Slade & Co.; B. Slade, clothing; Imperial.

HARTFORD, Conn.—Wise, Smith & Co.; I. Wise, coats, suits, waists; 404 4th Av.

HARTFORD, Conn.—Sage, Allen & Co.; F. W. Lamkins, domestics, linens; 404 4th Av.; Park Av.

HARTFORD—Brown, Thomson & Co.; F. W. Blauvelt, furnishing goods, hosiery, umbrellas; 230 5th Av.

HARTFORD—Sage, Allen & Co.; J. W. Power, toys; D. C. Krauss, silks, velvets; 404 4th Av.

HOUSTON, Texas—W. C. Munn Co.; J. F. Ramp, toys; A. T. Compton, domestics, dress goods, silks; 1,150 Broadway.

ITHACA, N. Y.—Rothschild Bros.; L. Rothschild, toys; Miss Schmaus, notions; Miss Giddings, laces; 44 E. 23d.

ITHACA, N. Y.—Rothschild Brothers; Miss R. Schmaus, notions; Collingwood.

INDIANAPOLIS—L. S. Ayres & Co.; Miss M. B. Stephens, furs; 220 5th Av.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla.—Ogus, Rabinowich & Ogus; T. Stein, millinery; 35 W. 39th.

JAMESTOWN, N. Y.—Abrahamson-Bigelow Co.; B. Hough, toys; Miss G. E. Bucklin, art goods; Longacre.

JOHNSTOWN, Penn.—John Thomas & Sons; N. K. Raker, coats, suits, waists, infants' wear; Grand.

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—Browning, King & Co.; I. Baldwin, furn. goods; 16 Cooper Square.

LANCASTER, Penn.—Watt & Shand; J. Shand, dry goods; C. G. Watt, furnishing goods, hosiery, gloves; 432 4th Av.; Bristol.

LANCASTER, Penn.—Hager & Bro.; R. Orr, housefurn. goods, toys; 404 4th Av.

LAWRENCE, Mass.—New York Store; Mrs. J. Boorstein, cloaks, millinery; Latham.

LEHIGH, Okla.—B. Byers, men's, women's clothing; 395 Broadway.

LOUISVILLE, Ky.—J. C. Lewis Co.; T. W. Collins, carpets; 105 Grand; Breslin.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn.—J. H. Bunce Co.; Miss K. M. Riordan, housefurnishing goods; 404 4th Av.

MINNEAPOLIS—L. S. Donaldson Co.; C. E. Fisher, jewelry, silverware; 230 5th Av.; Marie Antoinette.

MONTGOMERY, Ala.—A. Rice; J. Rice, clothing, furn. goods; Mr. Meyer, gloves, boys' clothing; 303 5th Av.

NEW BEDFORD—New Bedford D. G. Co.; P. T. Foy, furn. goods; G. G. Thibedeau, crockery, toys; 404 4th Av.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass.—New Bedford D. G. Co.; R. T. Shuman, coats, suits, waists; D. L. Crowley, dry goods; 404 4th Av.; Brostell.

NEW BERNE, N. C.—Caplan & Son; S. Caplan, ready-to-wear; Breslin.

NEW HAVEN—Gamble-Desmond Co.; M. H. Reynolds, upholstery, rugs; 470 4th.

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—E. Malley Co.; Mr. Billings, merchandise manager; Mr. Moylan, toys; 105 Grand.

NEW HAVEN—Shartenberg & Robinson; A. A. Breton, housefurnishing goods; M. J. Allderige, notions, jewelry, toilet goods; E. C. Mackie, furnishing goods, knit underwear, hosiery; Miss R. Rosenberg, sweaters; M. S. Mumma, ready-to-wear; 404 4th Av.

NEW ORLEANS—D. H. Holmes Co.; H. T. Malone, men's, boys' clothing; 15 E. 26th.

NORFOLK, Va.—Watt, Pettew & Clay; W. A. Newbery, carpets, draperies; S. G. Lackey, wash goods; 23 East 26th.

NORWICH, Conn.—Reid & Hughes Co.; C. I. Smith, notions, furn. goods; 404 4th Av.; Continental.

NORWICH—Reid & Hughes Co.; G. R. Gifford, representing; 404 4th Av.

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OMAHA—Nebraska Clothing Co.; A. Herzberg, ready-to-wear; 1,270 Broadway.

OMAHA, Neb.—J. L. Brandeis & Sons; Mr. Witt, ready-to-wear; 1,261 B'way.

ONEONTA, N. Y.—B. F. Sisson & Co.; B. F. Sisson, cloaks; Breslin.

PAWTUCKET—Shartenberg & Robinson; J. E. Hogan, housefurnishing goods; 404 4th Av.

PETERSBURG, Va.—Southern D. G. and Notion Co.; J. R. Jolly, laces, men's furn. goods, hosiery; 43 Leonard.

PHILADELPHIA—L. W. Hirsch Co.; Mrs. Werman, coats; 470 4th Av.

PHILADELPHIA—"Blauner's"; Miss Lustig, gingham Summer dresses; Miss Portnoy, women's, misses' coats; 15 E. 26th.

PHILADELPHIA—M. Gross & Co.; M. Gross, coats, suits; 1,182 B'way; Breslin.

PHILADELPHIA—Gimbel Brothers; J. R. Summerfield, carpets; B'way and 32d.

PHILADELPHIA—M. Silverman & Son; A. Silverman, ready-to-wear; 1,133 B'way.

PHILADELPHIA—Bernstein-Baum-De Costa Co.; L. S. Baum, coats, suits; 38 W. 32d.

PHILADELPHIA—D. Rothschild & Co.; M. Gutman, infants', children's coats; 1,182 B'way.

PHILADELPHIA—Moskowitz & Tietelbaum; H. Tietelbaum, waists, dresses; 1,270 B'way; Herald Square.

PHILADELPHIA—Blauner's; Miss Schenk, wash skirts; 15 E. 26th.

PHILADELPHIA—M. Norwick & Son; H. Norwick, suitings; 1,182 B'way, Room 1402.

PHILADELPHIA—Silk & Kohn Co.; H. L. Silk, jobs silk skirts; 1,182 B'way, Room 1507.

PHILADELPHIA—A. Graff & Co.; A. F. Lippincott, rugs; Imperial.

PHILADELPHIA—Ullman Bros.; B. H. Ullman, skirtings; Imperial.

PHILADELPHIA—N. Snellenberg & Co.; Mrs. C. Arnold, infants' wear; 1,261 B'way.

PHILADELPHIA—Gimbel Brothers; Miss A. Guggenheim, umbrellas; B'way and 32d.

PHILADELPHIA—M. Cravis & Sons; I. Cravis, piece goods; Breslin.

PHILADELPHIA—J. F. Dittman & Co.; J. F. Dittman, cloakings, silks; 2 W. 33d.

PITTSBURGH—Kaufman Dept. Store; C. Kline, domestics, linens; Mr. Atwell, linens, basement; 1,261 B'way.

PITTSBURGH—Rosenbaum Co.; Miss McCrohan, waists; S. M. Jacobs, mdse. mgr., bargain basement; Miss M. Tolks, suits; Miss Troupe, dresses; 116 W. 32d.

PITTSBURGH—J. Horne Co.; E. Holcombe, dress goods, silks; 470 4th Av.

PITTSBURGH—Ayers-Young Hat Co.; C. E. Ayers, hats; Breslin.

PITTSBURGH—Rosenbaum Co.; B. F. Whitehead, men's clothing; 116 W. 32d.

PITTSBURGH—McCreery Co.; J. D. Burnett, general merchandise; Mr. Shedd, hosiery; 23 E. 26th.

PITTSBURGH—Rosenbaum Co.; I. Marcus, misses', junior, children's suits; 120 W. 32d.

PITTSBURGH—Kaufmann & Baer Co.; J. Baer, men's, boys' clothing; Miss Webb, women's suits; Miss Ernst, Miss Gibson, Miss Lambert, millinery; 404 4th Av.

PITTSBURGH—Lewin-Neiman Co.; B. Neiman, Miss Killen, Spring suits; 470 4th Av.

PITTSBURGH—Frank & Seder; H. Seder, ready-to-wear; 364 5th Av.; Herald Square.

PORT CHESTER, N. Y.—Steiger-Shick; Mr. Shick, general merchandise; 105 Grand.

PORTLAND, Me.—Miss S. Blair, millinery; Imperial.

PRINCETON, Ill.—N. W. Isaccson & Co.; N. W. Isaccson, millinery; Albert.

PROVIDENCE—J. Samuels & Bro.; Miss Meade, jobs underwear; 116 W. 32d.

RICHMOND, Va.—Southern Bargain House; A. B. Bauer, notions, gloves, hosiery; Breslin.

RICHMOND, Va.—Kaufmann & Co.; Miss E. M. Merritt, millinery; 353 5th Av.

RICHMOND, Va.—Weisberger & Co.; S. Weisberger, ready-to-wear; 37 W. 26th.

ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Duffy-Powers Co.; L. Wohl, Mr. Bright, children's dresses, coats; 470 4th Av.

ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Sibley, Lindsay & Curr Co.; S. P. Caldwell; cloaks; 432 4th Av.

ROCHESTER—Samuel's Dollar Store; A. O. Samuels, general merchandise; Seville.

ROCHESTER, N. Y.—The Criterion; L. Stein, men's, women's clothing, furn. goods; Grand.

SAGINAW, Mich.—M. W. Tanner Co.; L. W. Bixby, furn. goods; 1,170 B'way.

SALEM—Almy, Bigelow & Washburn; A. F. Ellis, housefurnishing goods; 230 5th Av.

SCHENECTADY, N. Y.—H. S. Barney Co.; Miss E. A. Ledger, housefurnishing goods, toys, silverware; 404 4th Av.; Imperial.

SEATTLE, Wash.—McDougall & Southwick Co.; A. J. Jones, furn. goods; 25 E. 26th; Prince George.

SEATTLE, Wash.—Seattle D. G. Co.; A. G. M. Fraser, dry goods; 225 4th Av.

SEYMOUR, Ind.—B. Simon, juniors' silk dresses; 1,123 B'way.

SHEBOYGAN, Wis.—Sell Bros. Co.; F. H. Sell, ready-to-wear; 1,133 B'way.

SHREVEPORT, La.—Dreyfuss Dry Goods Co.; J. G. Levy, upholstery goods; 353 4th Av.; Breslin.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass.—Poole Dry Goods Co.; Miss S. D. O'Brien, millinery; 404 4th Av.

ST. LOUIS—H. S. Frank Novelty Co.; H. Frank, manufactures women's neckwear, aprons; Marseilles.

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ST. LOUIS—Carleton D. G. Co.; O. R. Gibbons, coats, suits, waists, ladies' sweaters; 329 B'way.

ST. PAUL, Minn.—Schuneman & Evans; W. C. Hoffman, housefurn. goods; A. C. Hislop, jewelry, stationery; P. J. Reilly, toys, trunks, 220 5th Av.; Collingwood.

ST. PAUL, Minn.—Robinson, Strauss & Co.; C. J. Richter, trimmed, tailored hats; 621 B'way.

TERRE HAUTE—A. Herz; Miss M. Henry, books, stationery, leather goods; 116 W. 32d.

TOLEDO—Thompson-Hudson Co.; R. Ellis, notions, laces, neckwear, jewelry, men's furn. goods; 354 4th Av.; Hermitage.

TOLEDO—F. W. James Co.; C. H. Rhodes, untrimmed hats; Breslin.

TOLEDO, Ohio—Loper Shop; C. Loper, cloaks, suits, furs, skirts; Gerard.

TRENTON, N. J.—S. E. Kaufman Co.; Mr. Miller, rugs; 105 Grand.

TROY, N. Y.—Weinstein & Bro.; J. Weinstein, ready-to-wear; Continental.

UNIONTOWN, Penn.—People's D. G. Co.; I. Silverman, clothing, cloaks, suits; Imperial.

UTICA, N. Y.—Ross-Hogan Knitting Co.; C. Ross, knit goods; Marlborough.

VICKSBURG, Miss.—Valley Dry Goods Co.; Mr. Lyons, general mdse.; 105 Grand.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—S. Kann, Sons & Co.; Mrs. C. Nohe, millinery; 432 4th Av.

WASHINGTON—Woodward & Lothrop; Mrs. J. C. Nourse, novelties; 334 4th Av.

WASHINGTON—S. Kann, Sons & Co.; J. Grober, furs; 432 4th Av.

WESTERLY, R. I.—P. H. Opie Co.; Miss E. A. Opie, corsets, waists, muslin underwear, infants' wear; Park Avenue.

WHEELING, W. Va.—Stone & Thomas; L. M. Kahn, ready-to-wear; 1,270 B'way.

WILKES-BARRE, Penn.—Reese's Bazaar; E. Reese, housefurn. goods, toys, trunks, bags; Marseilles.

WILMINGTON, Del.—Lippincott's; W. Montgomery, toys, housefurn. goods; Arlington.

WILMINGTON, Del.—Smith-Zollinger Co.; W. S. Clay, women's garments, laces, ribbons, gloves; Arlington.

WORCESTER—R. W. Beeks & Co.; R. W. Beeks, ready-to-wear; 404 4th Av.

WORCESTER, Mass.—Barnard-Sumner-Putnam Co.; R. A. Illesly, notions, toys, art goods; 404 4th Av.; Gregorian.

WORCESTER—Barnard, Sumner & Putnam Co.; M. J. Feely, dress goods, linings; 404 4th Av.

YORK, Penn.—J. L. Fisher Millinery Co.; J. L. Fisher, millinery; Great Northern.

FOOD EXPORTS DECREASE

But Prices Received in Seven Months Show Material Increase.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Exports of important foodstuffs, including wheat, corn, and pork, showed a marked decrease for the seven months ended Jan. 31, 1918, over the same period a year before, figures issued today by the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce show. Exports of beef products and oats increased during the same period.

Exports of wheat fell from 90,166,662 to 29,538,826 bushels, pork shipments from 871,078,192 to 551,384,376 pounds, and corn exports from 32,269,707 to 14,417,728 bushels. Flour exports increased from 6,960,986 to 10,144,494 barrels, and beef products from 148,815,742 to 191,551,866 pounds. Oats gained from 54,931,735 to 65,162,474 bushels.

The total value of all breadstuffs exported for the seven months was $311,797,743, as against $291,480,773 the year before. Meat and dairy products increased from $190,935,557 to $218,607,573. Exports of cotton and cottonseed oil decreased during the seven months, the former from 4,340,810 to 3,073,449 bales, but higher prices received sent the total value of cotton up to $431,704,218, as compared with $388,302,548. Shipments of cottonseed oil dropped from 77,362,718 to 29,465,309 pounds, and decreased in value from $8,991,889 to $1,937,732. Shipments of mineral oils decreased from 1,701,278,330 to 1,547,969,212 gallons. Exports of crude oil decreased from 100,877,999 to 97,460,078 gallons, and gasoline from 243,857,835 to 238,008,318 gallons.

BUSINESS RECORDS

In Town.

JOSEPH ZACHARIAS, dealer in clothing at 52 East Broadway.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against him by the following creditors: Cecil Gross, handler, $275; Schott Bros., $38; E. Gottlieb Waist Co., $135, and Murray Kaplan, $598. An assignment was also made to Lester B. Freedman. Liabilities said to be $10,000 and assets $6,000.

SHERMAN & MOND.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Samuel Sherman and Harry W. Mond, individually and as copartners, under firm style of Sherman & Mond, furniture, at 195 Canal Street, by the following creditors: M. Singer & Sons, $325; Greenwood Associates, $144, and Zacharias Morris, $195. An assignment was also made to William J. James.

MORRIS ALTMAN, designer, at 227 Audubon Avenue, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $1,000 and no assets. There is only one creditor, Philip Isaacs of 15 East Thirty-second Street, to whom money is said due under dissolution of partnership agreement.

ALEXANDER JARET, delicatessen and herring business at 1,595 Bathgate Avenue, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $944 and assets of $63.

SAMUEL KROLL, a cutter at 1,705 Antonio Avenue, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $1,610 and no assets.

ROTHLEIN & GILMAN, men's clothing, at 611 Broadway,—Judge Mayer has appointed Lewis S. Marx receiver in $500 bond. Liabilities said to be approximately $10,000 and assets $2,500.

WILLIAM SIMONSON, an auto salesman of Mineola, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $1,810 and assets of $776.

LOUIS FLESCH, a chauffeur of Mineola, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $1,227 and assets of $200.

JOHN ZACHARIAS, 1,790 West Third Street, Brooklyn, has made an assignment to Lester B. Freedman of 320 Broadway.

Out of Town.

Special to The New York Times.

HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 26.—Batholomew Carini, a peach grower in Glastonbury, has filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court in this city, showing liabilities of $55,637, mostly on notes to local banks. His assets are listed at $85,000, consisting of real estate valued at $72,500, shares of stock, $7,900; horses, mules, and cows, $1,250; farming implements, $1,400, and lumber, ties, and poles, $2,000.

JUDGMENTS.

The following judgments were filed yesterday, the first name being that of the debtor:

In New York County.

Amounts of $100 and over.

Ash, Ernest H.—H. T. Schachne	$150.80
Aetna Accident and Liability Co.—E. E. Richards, costs	101.25
Almy, Clarence M.—H. A. Sanders Motors Corp.	221.24
Basket Novelty Co.—N. Giants	106.70
Brand, Harry—E. F. Gahagan	50,141.22
Breiterman, Edw. H., and Annie Levy—Lawyers Mortgage Co.	2,408.08
Compagnie Generale Transatlantique—C. B. Chrystal	288.85
Converse, James V.—C. P. Woodbury	265.66
Connolly & Co.—M. Alpers	1,362.67
Diller, Walter F.—A. B. Cohen	2,029.72
D. O. Haynes & Co.—C. E. Wright	338.41
Doggett, Stanley—Seydel Manufacturing Co.	9,575.70
Empire Carrying Corp.—J. Dwyer	540.41
Eig, Abe—State Industrial Commission	120.00
Eva, Joseph M., and Harry Hotoff—J. Scher	348.45
Ellis, Irving B.—W. C. Riggs	130.52
Fryer-Auster Co., Inc.—R. Rosales et al	130.29
Frothingham, Joseph L.—Black, Starr & Frost	2,764.20
Gross, Herman—M. Perlow et al	214.65
Grober, Max—State Industrial Commission	115.40
Gottlie, Nathan—Same	134.54
Geller, Louis—A. Muldoon	225.41
Grahame, Leopold—Frederick A. Stokes Co.	141.58
Hirsch, Max—J. Weil	124.94
Haus, Michael C.—E. W. C. Arnold	289.92
Howard, Louis C.—A. Lovell	135.44
Hiss, Nelson—F. C. Turner	106.60
Hannon, James J.—T. M. Blake	5,673.41
Hercules Steel Co., Hercules Ore Corp., John McKinley, and Marvin F. Butler—C. E. Sommer	12,047.27
Harrison, James—L. Jacobson	145.50
Insurance Co. of North America—S. Gerst	641.55
Jacobs, Louis—E. Kamek	305.57
Juravel, Philip—L. Smith	128.40
Korody, Julia, and Chas. Palumbo—People, &c.	300.00
Krantz, Morris—E. B. Koscherak	101.20
Karentsky & Goldstein—State Industrial Commission	792.88
Kaplowl, Isaac—S. Cantor	233.06
Laks, Morris—Coney Island & Brooklyn R. R. Co., costs	122.89
Lyman, John W.—H. E. Lindeman	528.91
Lucker, Claude N.—Lawyers Mortgage Co.	2,446.80
Lichtenstein, Isidore, Perry M. Lichtenstein, Lillian Green, Edna Blumberg, and Dora Lichtenstein—Williamsburgh City Fire Ins. Co., costs	132.60
McLaughlin, Wm. F.—J. Kemp	352.70
Mulligan, Wm. G. and Agnes K.—M. Kemmy	833.77
McCarthy, Joseph—D. Rabuffi	131.40
Mechlowitz, Philip, Manuel, and Meyer—J. Kupler	816.36
Moore, Robert C.—J. H. Parker	188.11
Monds, Mary—M. Kaufman et al	205.65
McAtamney, Hugh—Minnie G. Frank, Realty Co.	275.90
Nernado, Charles, (Japanese Perfume Co.)—Globe Jewelry Case Co.	310.53
Paul Klopstock Co.—Picano Co.	1,259.94
National Resuscitating Apparatus Co.—C. Solomon	1,044.40
Palmer, Oliver M.—University of Chattanooga	15,025.72
Quinn, Michael J.—N. Y.-Long Branch Steamship Co., costs	112.38
Russits Co. and Douglas H. Cooke—A. Smerckler et al	225.80
Stewart, Ethel J.—New Amsterdam Casualty Co.	525.00
Scholtes, Peter—H. Graf, costs	114.70
Stofsky, Hyman—E. Frankel	125.00
Schechtman, Isaac—B. Schechtman	387.15
Sparry, Charles—A. Stewart	113.99
Shaw, Fred M.—London Guarantee and Accident Co., Ltd.	164.70
Selleck, Herman D. and Floyd L. Smith—W. R. Mohr	869.77
Werner, Louis—R. W. Ennover	118.13
Wagner, Henry H.—Holbrook, Cabot & Rollins Corporation	784.93
Weller, Millard V.—A. L. A. Mfg. and Supply Co.	266.10
Weingarten, Max, and Max Kornberg, (Central Cabinet Mfg. Co.)—C. Denier	127.16
Westphal, Elise—I. Rotholz	237.24
Wolsky, Isaac—M. Sidelnik et al	124.65
Wilner Produce Co.—Karp Kirsch Co.	541.38
Washburn Wire Co.—H. Feldman	124.66
Zobel, Conrad—State Industrial Commission	307.75

In Bronx County.

Bernard Const. Co. and Bernard Greenthal—J. Bell Co.	$294.72
Bailey, Eva. W.—H. Schneider, as executor	4,433.57
Bazir, Agavny—Union Railway Co.	110.05
Commercial Delivery Co.—M. McQuaid	150.00
Damorba Amusement Co.—B. Malkin	649.90
Eisenberg, Joseph—D. A. Trotta	922.97
Freeman, May—Inter. Rapid Trans. Co.	108.95
Hochberg, Fannie—E. Roberts et al	109.55
Hochberg, Barnett—same	109.55
Krebs, Rose—D. P. Walman	109.40
Krebs, Rudolph—same	109.40
Lortz, Philip—A. Peltz	119.50
Levy, Morris—Inter. Rapid Trans. Co.	112.95
Lagadino, Ena—C. Ast	109.33
Manuelian, Satenig—Union Railway Co.	110.05
Michaelin, Poupol—Union Railway Co.	110.05
Tell, Elias—Inter. Rapid Trans. Co.	108.95
Vogelsang, Amelia—S. F. Burke	1,612.20

SATISFIED JUDGMENTS.

The first name is that of the debtor, the second that of the creditor and the date when the judgment was filed.

In New York County.

Bon Bon Co.—H. D. Morgan, March 12, 1914	$8,535.15
Same—Same, Dec. 5, 1917	317.51
Boston American League Baseball Club—Baseball Players' Fraternity, Nov. 23, 1917	$2,346.56
Humphries, Arthur G.—Lords Court Building, Dec. 1, 1918	204.41
Illinois Surety Co. and Frank Paul—I. Levison et al, Jan. 30, 1918	651.74
Gonbocz, Michael—K. Chonka, Dec. 11, 1917	143.65
Rothberg, Samuel—P. Meyerson, Feb. 13, 1918	185.65
Stewart, Arthur—Mitchell-Vance Co., Feb. 11, 1918	249.93
Ross, Simon—People, &c., Dec. 13, 1917, vacated	100.00
Agress, Joseph, and Hyman Chaimowitz—Electrotone Auto Music Co., Sept. 27, 1917	783.70
Rivers, Julian C., and Jean G. Venetos—M. Sullivan, Feb. 14, 1918	800.00
Sweet, Mary T.—H. Ladouceur, Oct. 24, 1910	641.83
Hesse, Gustav B.—J. A. Blair et al, Aug. 14, 1917	102.07
Riverside Cont. Co. and Josiah Canter—C. L. Williams, July 21, 1916	117.97
Sternberger, John—D. Strauss, Sept. 24, 1914	171.81
Brown, Wm. G., and S. Summer Shears—Rowland Advertising Agency, Dec. 7, 1915	324.25
Frey, Theodore A.—Brown-Green Co., Oct. 5, 1916	230.19
Floral Park Villa Co.—M. McCleat, May 12, 1917	212.98

In Bronx County.

R. Neumann & Co.—S. Walsey et al, April 7, 1917	$679.13
Sapadin, Abraham—S. Brinn et al, Oct. 28, 1915	112.64

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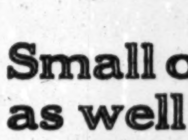

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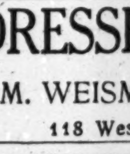

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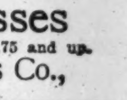

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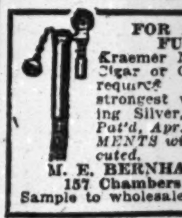

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FINANCIAL MARKETS

Industrials Lead Advance After Early Hesitation—Differing Views as to Peace.

On a smaller volume of business the stock market enjoyed a resurgence of bullish enthusiasm in the late part of the session yesterday, with the result that nearly all issues closed with marked gains. The advance was particularly noticeable in Baldwin Locomotive, whose fluctuations have betrayed the operation of a big speculative pool for some weeks past. Yesterday this issue led the list in activity for some time, and finished a close second to United States Steel, ending the day at its top figure of 78¼, at which point it showed a net advance of 6¼ points. The other locomotive issue was much less prominent, but also made a substantial gain. Nearly all of the favorites among the industrials rose sharply in the final hour, with a few of the railroad issues, particularly Southern Pacific, following in their wake. The recovery from the depression which was occasioned by the new turn in the Russian situation was so sudden as to prove inexplicable to most traders. To a large extent the dealings yesterday were of a professional nature.

The first deduction drawn by the speculative element from von Hertling's speech was that the cause of peace had not been materially advanced. There was a disposition to dismiss his smug acceptance of President Wilson's first four principles as written for the benefit of his critics at home. The reaction experienced by authorities in Washington was likewise discouraging to those who are trying so hard to find loopholes in the many barriers against an early termination of the war. Professional sentiment as voiced on the floor of the Exchange viewed the speech from another angle. There it was pointed out that regardless of the assumed insincerity of the German spokesman the important fact could not be denied that it was an answer, and as such another step toward the inevitable gathering around a table to discuss terms. Some of the big operators will not be shaken from their conviction that negotiations are now actually under way and coming to a head as rapidly as could reasonably be expected in a situation involving such great readjustments of viewpoint.

On the Cotton Exchange a violent rise was started by the German statements, although that was used more as a pretext to enforcing short covering, which could have been brought about on a slighter excuse. Sellers who had stubbornly maintained that cotton could not hold its present level, regardless of the gap between supply and demand, were in many cases forced to buy in their contracts by the bidding up which took place yesterday.

With the Directors' meeting only two days away, St. Paul preferred recovered some of its decline yesterday afternoon, after an upturn of 2 points from the low of the day, and in so doing gave some encouragement to stockholders who feel that the imminence of action on the Administration's railroad measure may make it possible for the management of that company to retain the dividend on the preferred stock.

A tendency toward a return to higher rates was evident in the money market, although most call loans were made on the Stock Exchange at 4 per cent. In place of the usual lowering of the rate at the close, the market closed at 6 per cent. Changes in the foreign exchange market were too narrow to prove interesting.

LONDON MARKET IS STEADY.

Sales of War Bonds Last Week Totaled Over $105,000,000.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—The sales of national war bonds last week amounted to over $105,000,000 which, with the liquidation of some deceased estates, accounts for the dullness of gilt-edged securities on the Stock Exchange.

The market otherwise was steady today, with Colonial bonds and rubber and shipping shares in good request, and there was continued buying of oil stocks and Australian mines.

Money was in better demand and discount rates were steady.

Trading Irregular on Paris Bourse.

PARIS, Feb. 26.—Trading on the Bourse today was irregular. Three per cent. rentes sold at 57 francs 50 centimes for cash. Exchange on London was 27 francs 18½ centimes. Five per cent. loan was quoted at 87 francs 85 centimes.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

Call Loans.

High	6	Renewals	4
Low	4	Last	6

Time Loans.

MIXED COLLAT'LS.		ALL INDUSTRIALS.	
Sixty days	6	Sixty days	6
Ninety days	6	Ninety days	6
Four months	6	Four months	6
Five months	6	Five months	6
Six months	6	Six months	6

Bank Acceptances.

Eligible for rediscount with Reserve Bank, 60 to 90 days	4½@4¼
Non-member and private bankers eligible, 60 to 90 days	4¼@4½
Not eligible, 60 to 90 days	5 @5¼

Commercial Paper.

Best-Known Names.

30 to 60 days	5¾
4 to 6 months	5¾@6

Other Names.

4 to 6 months	6

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Rates of Change.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Ch'ge.
Sterling—				
Demand	$4.7530	$4.7530	$4.7530	....
Cables	4.76 7/16	4.76 7/16	4.76 7/16	....
France—				
Demand	5.72⅝	5.72⅝	5.72⅝	+.00 1/16
Cables	5.70⅞	5.70⅞	5.70⅞	+.00 1/16

Closing Exchange.

Normal Rates of Exch.		Yesterday's Close. Demand or Checks.	Cables.
4.8665	London	$4.7530	$4.76 7/16
5.1826	Paris	5.72⅝	5.70⅞
	China—		
	Hongkong	71.25	71.50
	Peking	110.25	110.50
	Shanghai	103.25	103.50
19.30	Greece	19.40	19.45
40.20	Holland	44.25	44.75
32.44	India—		
	Bombay	34.50	34.75
	Calcutta	34.50	34.75
5.1826	Italy	8.73½	8.72
49.85	Japan—		
	Kobe	51.75	51.875
	Yokohama	51.75	51.875
50.00	Philippine Islands—		
	Manila	49.875	50.00
51.46	Russia	13.00	13.25
26.80	Scandinavia—		
	Stockholm	32.00	32.50
	Copenhagen	30.50	31.375
	Christiania	30.875	32.50
19.30	Spain	24.20	24.27
	South America—		
34.42	Rio	25.81	25.91
42.64	Buenos Aires	43.86	43.96
5.1826	Switzerland	4.50	4.48

TIME BILLS ON LONDON.

Bankers. 60 Days.	Bankers. 90 Days.	Commercial. 60 Days.	Commercial. 90 Days.
$4.71¼	$4.69¼	$4.71⅛	$4.69½

Clearing House Exchanges.

Clearing House exchanges, $711,063,325; balance, $73,077,814; Sub-Treasury debit balance, $395,650; Federal Reserve credit balance, $52,026,040.

Domestic Exchanges.

Boston, par; Chicago, 5c discount; St. Louis, 15@5c discount; San Francisco, par; Montreal, $10 premium.

Silver.

Bar silver in London, 42¼d, unchanged; in New York, 85½c, unchanged; Mexican dollars, 68c.

THE TREASURY STATEMENT.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Receipts and expenditures:

	This Month.	Fiscal Year.
Customs	$10,630,239	$106,532,770
Internal revenue—		
Corporation income	2,300,754	31,230,947
Individual income	7,480,371	23,430,557
Excess profits	1,082,942	13,824,900
Miscellaneous	48,793,063	439,822,560
Miscellaneous revenue	12,792,945	138,408,361
Total receipts	$83,086,020	$753,250,116
Excess of ordinary disbursements over ordinary receipts	519,318,489	2,995,309,968
Excess of total disbursements over total receipts	86,137,000	159,371,603
Expenditures	602,404,310	3,748,560,085

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

TUESDAY, FEB. 26, 1918.

	1918.	1917.	1916.
Day's sales	485,609	443,866	523,898
Year to date	23,445,750	29,657,508	23,145,172

Closing. Bid.	Ask.	Sales.		First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Chge.
13	14½	200	Advance Rumely	14	14	14	14	+ ½
..	..	200	Ajax Rubber	55	55	55	55	−1
1⅞	2	2,600	Alaska Gold Mines	2	2	1⅞	1⅞	− ⅛
2	2⅛	500	Alaska Juneau	2⅛	2¼	2⅛	2¼	+ ⅛
26⅝	27⅛	3,400	Allis-Chalmers Mfg.	26	27⅛	26	26⅞	+ ⅞
81¼	82	100	Allis-Chal. Mfg. pf.	81¼	81¼	81¼	81¼	+ ¼
82¼	82⅝	5,400	Am. Beet Sugar	81½	82⅝	81½	82⅝	+1¼
41	41⅜	4,200	Am. Can	40⅝	41⅜	40⅝	41⅜	+1¼
94	97	200	Am. Can pf.	94½	95	94½	95	...
74	74¼	1,200	Am. Car & F'dry	73½	74	73½	74	+1
31¾	32	300	Am. Cotton Oil	31¾	32	31¾	32	+1⅛
14¼	14⅜	5,700	Am. H. & Leather	13⅛	14⅜	13⅞	14¼	+ ⅜
62½	62¾	900	Am. H. & L. pf.	63	63¼	62⅝	62⅝	+1⅝
41	44	100	Am. Ice pf.	41⅛	41⅛	41⅛	41⅛	− ⅜
53⅜	54	200	Am. International	54	54	54	54	...
32	32½	3,050	Am. Linseed	32	32⅝	32	32⅝	+ ⅜
66	66½	6,100	Am. Locomotive	64⅝	66½	64⅝	66½	+2½
49	50	100	Am. Malting 1st pf.	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝	− ⅛
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97½	97⅝	88,300	U. S. Steel	95⅝	97½	95⅝	97½	+2⅝
110¼	111	500	U. S. Steel pf.	110	110¼	110	110¼	+ ¼
83⅝	84	1,700	Utah Copper	82½	83⅝	82½	83⅝	+1¼
41	41½	200	Va.-Car. Chemical	41	41	41	41	− ½
64	67	100	Va. Iron, Coal & C.	64	64	64	64	−1
8½	9	100	Wabash	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	...
42¼	42⅝	200	Wabash pf. A	42	42¼	42	42¼	+ ¼
15¼	16¼	400	Western Pacific	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜	+ ⅛
53	54½	121	Western Pacific pf.	54	54	54	54	− ½
90	90⅝	300	Western Union Tel.	90¼	90¼	90	90	− ⅛
42	42¼	3,000	Westingh. E. & M.	41½	42⅛	41½	42	+1
55¼	55¾	2,300	Wilson & Co.	53	55⅝	53	55⅝	+2⅝
18⅝	19	8,400	Willys-Overland	18⅝	18⅞	18½	18⅞	+ ⅛
41½	42	100	Worthington Pump	41⅜	41⅜	41⅜	41⅜	+ ⅜
88	89	100	Worth. Pump pf. A	88½	88½	88½	88½	+ ½
62	63	200	Worth. Pump pf. B	62⅝	62⅝	62⅝	62⅝	+ ½

FINANCIAL OPERATIONS OF THE CITY.

Chamberlain's Report, Feb. 23, 1918.

CITY TREASURY.

Balance Feb. 16			$25,528,949.25	
Receipts—				
Revenues		$842,137.66		
Miscellaneous		65,577.90		
Loans:				
Corp. stock notes	$1,000,000.00			
Special rev. bonds	1,000,000.00			
		2,000,000.00		
			2,907,715.56	
			$28,436,664.81	
Payments—				
General administration		$3,318,874.82		
Repayment of temporary loans:				
Revenue bonds and bills		500,000.00		
Redemption of city debt		2,106,397.20		
Interest on city debt		12,904.10		
			5,938,176.12	
Balance Feb. 23				$22,498,488.69

SINKING FUNDS.

Balance uninvested Feb. 16	$1,879,183.61	
Receipts	2,335,128.93	
	$4,214,312.54	
Payments	2,050,000.00	
Balance uninvested Feb. 23		2,164,312.54
Aggregate balances Feb. 23		$24,662,801.23

JAPANESE LOAN TO FRANCE.

Empire to Advance $25,000,000 on Terms Not Yet Announced.

Japan is about to advance to France the sum of 50,000,000 yen, ($25,000,000,) according to advices received here yesterday from Tokio. It is not definitely known whether the transaction contemplates a direct loan or whether it is in the nature of a triangular operation, providing for the establishment of dollar credits in the United States.

Recently Japan made a loan of $50,000,000 to Great Britain. This consisted of two transactions: The first was the purchase by Japan of $40,000,000 of British Treasury one-year bills, and the second the sale of $10,000,000 Indian rupees. The object of the loan was to provide Great Britain with dollar credits in the United States and also to help adjust the exchange situation.

The $25,000,000 loan to France is said to be the first that Japan has ever made to the French Republic. The British Government, however, has obtained three advances from Japan since the outbreak of the war, the total amounting to 280,000,000 yen, or $140,000,000. The Japanese Government has also issued an internal loan of 50,000,000 yen, and has accepted as payment a similar amount of Russian Treasury bills which fell due Feb. 9. In some quarters it is believed that the whole of Russia's short-term indebtedness to the Japanese market will be replaced in the same manner by the issuance of Japanese Government securities.

MARKET AVERAGES.

STOCKS.

YESTERDAY'S RANGE.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.
25 railroads	59.70	59.26	59.66	+ .44
25 industrials	79.18	77.72	79.01	+1.12
50 stocks	69.44	68.49	69.33	+ .78

DAILY RANGE OF FIFTY STOCKS.

	High.	Low.	Last	Net Ch'ge.
Feb. 26	69.44	68.49	69.33	+ .78
Feb. 25	69.23	68.32	68.55	− .52
Feb. 23	69.58	68.78	69.07	− .18
Feb. 22	Holiday.			
Feb. 21	69.72	69.07	69.25	− .51
Feb. 20	70.48	69.52	69.76	− .50
Feb. 19	70.95	69.92	70.26	+ .30
Feb. 18	70.24	69.01	69.96	+ .92

MONTHLY RANGE OF FIFTY STOCKS.

Feb.	High.		Low.		Last.
*1918	70.95	Feb. 19	67.19	Feb. 7	69.33
1917	83.46	Feb. 21	77.24	Feb. 3	80.65
1916	89.06	Feb. 10	84.16	Feb. 28	85.02
1915	62.78	Feb. 11	58.99	Feb. 24	60.02
1914	73.14	Feb. 4	69.33	Feb. 26	70.49
1913	77.30	Feb. 3	71.51	Feb. 25	73.39
1912	76.61	Feb. 20	72.54	Feb. 1	76.25

YEARLY RANGE OF FIFTY STOCKS.

	High.		Low.		Last.
*1918	70.95	Feb. 19	64.12	Jan. 15	69.33
†1917	90.46	Jan. 4	77.24	Feb. 3	81.66
Full Years.					
1917	90.46	Jan. 4	57.43	Dec. 20	65.88
1916	101.51	Nov. 20	80.91	Apr. 22	88.22
1915	94.13	Oct. 22	58.99	Feb. 24	91.50
1914	73.80	Jan. 31	57.41	July 30	60.20
1913	79.10	Jan. 9	63.09	June 10	68.06
1912	85.82	Sep. 30	75.24	Feb. 1	78.20

BONDS.

DAILY RANGE OF FORTY BONDS.

Feb. 26	76.87	−.08	Feb. 18	77.00	−.01
Feb. 25	76.90	+.01	Feb. 16	77.01	..
Feb. 23	76.89	−.06	Feb. 15	77.01	−.07
Feb. 22	Holiday.		Feb. 14	77.08	..
Feb. 21	76.95	+.02	Feb. 13	77.08	−.10
Feb. 20	76.93	−.10	Feb. 12	Holiday.	
Feb. 19	77.03	+.03	Feb. 11	Holiday.	

YEARLY RANGE OF FORTY BONDS.

	High.		Low.		Last.
*1918	77.43	Jan. 31	76.64	Jan. 24	76.87
†1917	89.48	Jan. 20	87.00	Feb. 10	87.21
Full Years.					
1917	89.48	Jan. 20	74.24	Dec. 20	76.30
1916	89.18	Nov. 27	86.19	Apr. 23	88.64
1915	87.02	Mar. 24	81.52	Jan. 2	86.67
1914	89.42	Feb. 4	81.42	Dec. 2	81.96
1913	92.81	Jan. 10	83.45	Dec. 18	86.81

*To date. †To corresponding date.

TOPICS IN WALL STREET.

The D. & R. G. Receivership.

Judge Sanborn has set tomorrow, in St. Louis, for a further hearing in the process of working out a receivership for the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad which shall safeguard the interests of all the creditors and at the same time comply with the demand of the Director General that the active operation and management of the road shall be left entirely in his hands. One of the receivers appointed by the court has recently been in Washington engaged in a long series of conferences with the Railroad Administration, but apparently the result, if there was any, will not be made known until tomorrow. For that matter, rumors are not wanting that both parties to the receivership suit, in their desire to avoid embarrassing Mr. McAdoo, may yet work out an amicable settlement which will permit the receivership to be vacated.

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More Gold for Mexico.

The National City Bank withdrew yesterday from the Sub-Treasury $150,000 in gold coin for shipment to Mexico. Several smaller consignments have recently gone forward to Mexico, the Federal Reserve Board in Washington having granted special permits for the exportation of the metal in pursuance to an agreement entered into between the State Department and Mexican officials.

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Japan's Investments Here.

The Japanese Government, as well as bankers and merchants of Japan, have large balances in New York City banks and trust companies, according to a statement made yesterday by a representative of a Japanese institution. He said that the Japanese Government was investing Japanese postal savings funds in securities in this country. The rate paid on postal savings in Japan is about 4 per cent. per annum, but Japan's investments here yield from 5 to 6 per cent. Japan's balances here are estimated to be approximately $120,000,000. Since the United States placed an embargo on gold exports Japan has been accumulating funds here.

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Concerned Over Import Licenses.

The Japanese are very much concerned over the export and import license system recently established by the American Government. They fear that its operation will result in a curtailment of imports of silks, that forming the largest item in Japan's export trade with the United States. The question has been raised as to whether the authorities will consider silks as an essential or as a non-essential, but thus far no intimation has been received from Washington which would indicate the attitude of the Licensing Bureau of the War Trade Board in respect to silks.

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Different Points of View.

Yesterday's upward movement began with the war stocks, including Bethlehem, Crucible, Baldwin, and American Locomotive, and for this reason the seekers for surface explanations thought that Count von Hertling's address was looked upon by speculators as a forecast of a long continuation of the war. When the list of active issues broadened to include so-called peace stocks, among them Steel, American Sumatra Tobacco, Atlantic, Gulf and West Indies, and American Hide and Leather preferred the original reasoning appeared less satisfactory. The inclusion of some of the railroad issues in the afternoon advance persuaded many traders that the market was rising simply because buyers believed prices would advance, irrespective of changing conditions in the war.

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A Chain Store System's Sales.

The largest system of chain stores in the country, the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company, reports remarkable earnings for the period between March 1 last year and Jan. 26 this year. The gross business, as made known by the management to the bond department of the Equitable Trust Company, amounted to $111,368,408 in the forty-eight weeks, a gain of $54,744,974, or 82 per cent., over the corresponding period in 1916-17. From one point of view, the expansion reflects the rising cost of food, the tendency of housewives to seek the selling agencies where bulk purchases by the vendors enable them to distribute goods at lower prices than smaller competitors. Also, the higher cost of food probably helped in itself to swell the company's gross receipts. Again, the company added many new stores to its chain. The company has 3,800 stores in operation at present, compared with about 2,700 on Jan. 1, 1917.

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Remington Typewriter Funds Abroad.

The Remington Typewriter Company has paid no dividends on its first and second preferred stocks since 1914 and none on the common since 1907. In presenting a number of facts about the corporation's current satisfactory business, a letter sent out by a firm of security dealers yesterday made this comment on the dividend situation: "The suspension of dividends on the common stock came partly as the result of the 1907-8 general business depression and was partly due to the company having entered the visible typewriter field a little late, and therefore spending a great deal of money in the development of the same. The discontinuance of the preferred dividends was a direct result of the war. About $1,000,000 of the company's money is at present tied up in foreign banks, where it has been left owing to the loss in transferring it at the present exchange rate. This cash is carried on the balance sheet for the year ended Dec. 31, 1916, at the then current rate of exchange. When available this money will be sufficient to pay a large portion of the accumulated dividends on the first and second preferred stocks, which amount to 22¾ and 26 per cent., respectively."

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British Railroad Control.

After three and a half years of Government control under conditions substantially identical with those under which American roads were taken over, some of the British railroads are apparently cautiously considering increasing their dividends to a point commensurate with their guaranteed income. Only one road—the Taff Vale—has, according to The London Times, so far actually taken such action, but The London Times suggests that, as all the roads cut their dividends at the outset of the war and have since been accumulating reserves sufficient to enable them to face almost any contingency, it is about time the stockholders had a chance again.

BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE

TUESDAY, FEB. 26, 1918.

	1918.	1917.	1916.
Day's sales	$3,560,500	$3,531,000	$2,874,500
Year to date	183,831,500	200,322,800	198,899,000

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT BONDS.

U S Liberty 3½s, int ctfs, full paid
$5000....97.98
54000....98
4000....97.96
23000....97.94
3000....97.96
105000....97.98
10000....97.94
3000....97.92
14000....97.90
10000....97.92
2000....97.94
1000....97.96
20000....97.92
1000....97.94
25000....97.96
6000....97.96

U S Liberty 1st cv 4s
$22000....97.30
15000....97.20
13000....97.28
1000....97.24
6000....97.20

$57,000, total sales.

U S Liberty 2d 4s
$100000....96.90
2000....96.86
47000....96.84
135000....96.80
10000....96.84
82000....96.80
6000....96.78
5000....96.80
2000....96.78

1000....96.74
125000....96.80
8000....96.78
34000....96.80
11000....96.76
13000....96.74
51000....96.72
1000....96.74
10000....96.78
1000....96.80
4000....96.78
5000....96.80
33000....96.78
2000....96.76
14000....96.80
8000....96.76
1000....96.78
2000....96.76
2000....96.78
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5000....96.78
12000....96.80
8000....96.78
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2000....96.80
1000....96.76
8000....96.78
28000....96.80
2000....96.78
3000....96.76
7000....96.78
6000....96.80
30000....96.78
66000....96.80
1000....96.78
28000....96.76
1000....96.80
1000....96.82

FOREIGN GOVERNMENT, MUNICIPAL AND CORPORATION BONDS.

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BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS

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SHORT TERM NOTES

Security. Rate.	Due.	Bid.	Ask.	Yield.	Security. Rate.	Due.	Bid.	Ask.	Yield.
Ark. Val. Ry., L. & P....6	July, 1919	98	99	7.00	P. S. C., N. J.5	Mar., 1919	95	97	8.70
B. & O. R. R.5	July, 1918	99½	99¾	5.50	Phil. Elec. Co.6	Feb., 1920	96¼	96½	6.85
B. & O. R. R.5	July, 1919	98¼	98⅝	6.20	Rem. A. Un. Met. C. Co..5	Feb. 1, '19	89	91	..
Beth. S. Corp.5	Feb.15,'19	98	98¼	7.00	Southern Ry..5	Mar.2, '19	97¼	97¾	7.60
B. R. T......5	July, 1918	94¾	95¾	..	United Fruit..5	May, 1918	99¾	100⅛	4.25
C., B. & Q...4	July, 1921	93	93¾	6.00	Utah Sec Cor.	Sep. 15,'22	84	87	..
C. & W. Ind..6	Sep., 1918	98¾	99½	7.75	W. E. & M...6	Feb., 1919	98⅝	96⅞	7.20
Can. North...6	Sep. 2,'18	99	99½	7.00	Win. R. Arms.7	Mar., 1919	99	99½	7.50
Can. Pac. R..6	Mar.2, '24	98¼	98⅝	6.20	W. V. T. & E.6	May, 1919	96½	98½	6.75
Can. Pac. R..6	Mar.2, '24	98⅝	98¾	6.20	Win. E. Ry...6	Jan.15,'18	..	100	6.00

Short Notes Exempt from Stamp Tax

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Exemption from the stamp tax of short-time notes given by member banks to Federal Reserve banks to facilitate issues of Liberty bonds and war savings certificates was agreed upon today by the House Ways and Means Committee.

AMERICANS AT THE FRONT.

American artillerymen with a French "75" gun, officers observing results of shots, a wonderful bit of camouflage, inspection of U. S. field artillery, and burial of an American soldier are pictures which appeal to all patriots. See them in The New York Times Mid-Week Pictorial this week. On all news stands, 10 cents—$5 a year by mail. Times Square, New York.—Advt.

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REFINERS OF COPPER SEEK HIGHER RATES

Assert Operations Will Be Curtailed if Increased Return Is Not Arranged.

MOVE FOR RISE IN PRICE

The War Advances the Cost of Handling a Ton of Rough Metal from $17 to $24.

Rising costs of operation, chiefly in respect to the labor item, have brought the copper refining companies of the East to a pass where they have to seek from the mining concerns a higher remuneration for refining metal than existing contracts call for. Rumors were heard in the financial district yesterday that the refineries had threatened to close down if the producers of copper did not increase the payment for metal prepared for market. These were found to be exaggerations, but officers of refining concerns asserted that an increased return must be arranged or operations would be curtailed.

Copper men expect that the pressure being brought by the refiners will result in a voluntary increase of the refining charge. The amount of copper now being prepared for sale is running behind the demand, of which the greater portion is coming from the United States Government and the European allies. A collateral development predicted in the trade is an urgent request to the War Industries Board and the Federal Trade Commission that the fixed price for copper to the mining companies be increased from 23½ to at least 25 cents a pound. The current price was fixed last month to stand until June 1.

Refining contracts run from one to twenty-five years and are based on the costs of refining copper when the agreements are signed. Before the war began the average cost of handling a ton of "blister" copper—the rough metal from the smelter—was about $17, according to refining company officers. The present expense is between $23 and $24 a ton. Where the big refineries of the American Smelting and Refining Company, the Anaconda Copper Mining Company, and the United States Smelting Company near Perth Amboy were paying 23½ cents an hour to ordinary labor in 1914, they are now paying 38 cents, and fresh wage demands are appearing almost daily. The refiners say that the construction jobs for the Government in New Jersey, where a "cost plus percentage profit" basis prevails, are drawing their men away faster than they can be replaced.

Approximately 85 per cent. of all the copper marketed in this country is refined by the big works around New York City. Last year the total refinery output of the country was 2,350,240,000 pounds, and it is estimated that, with the war demand to fill, at least this amount will be needed in 1918 to supply the manufacturers.

An increase in the refining charge will come out of the earnings of the producers. The fact that their costs are increasing, also, is expected to be presented to the Government if the refiners receive an advance, as a support of the plea for a higher price for copper.

EARNINGS.

Railroads.

NORTHERN CENTRAL for the year ended Dec. 31—

	1917.	1916.	1915.
Total income..	$2,528,407	$2,529,821	$2,533,100
Int. and exp...	361,201	361,644	366,732
Net income....	2,167,206	2,168,177	2,166,368
Dividends	2,166,172	2,166,172	2,166,172
Sur. for year..	1,034	2,005	196

Public Utilities.

BELL TELEPHONE CO. of Pennsylvania and associated companies for year ended Dec. 31—

Gross earnings	23,625,240	22,700,183	21,402,643
Net earnings..	4,872,235	5,976,774	5,811,633
Interest	763,509	622,442	672,799
Balance	4,108,726	5,354,332	5,138,834
Dividends	3,599,962	3,600,089	3,600,089
Surplus	508,764	1,754,243	1,538,745

THIRD AVENUE RAILWAY for January—

	1918.	1917.	1916.
Gross	748,351	829,425	808,808
Net aft. taxes.	107,715	207,909	282,563
Total income..	120,523	221,583	295,021
Def. aft. chgs.	163,776	59	*72,708
7 mos. gross..	6,138,448	4,618,112	6,536,931
Net aft. taxes.	1,290,729	117,069	2,041,785
Total income..	1,383,556	219,723	2,116,433
Def. aft. chgs.	172,700	1,327,026	*592,368

*Surplus.

NEW ENGLAND CO. POWER SYSTEM—

	Dec. 1917.	Dec. 1916.	Increase.
Gross earnings.	267,515	210,726	56,788
Net earnings..	89,663	140,796	*51,132
Bal. aft. chgs.	40,209	91,251	*51,041
Div. pf. stks..	24,174	22,012	2,161
Balance	16,034	69,238	*53,203
Div. 2d pf. st.	9,066	9,066	....
Balance	6,968	60,171	*53,203
12 months ended Dec. 31:			
Gross earnings.	2,645,973	2,068,436	577,536
Net earnings..	1,144,195	1,311,132	*166,937
Bal. aft. chgs.	546,450	711,670	*165,219
Div. pf. stocks.	278,411	237,101	41,309
Balance	268,039	474,568	*206,529
Div. 2d pf. stk	108,800	108,800	....
Balance	159,239	365,768	*206,529

*Decrease.

Miscellaneous.

DEERE & CO. for year ended Oct. 31—

	1917.	1916.	1915.
Tot. earnings.	$5,851,129	$4,783,081	$3,904,957
Exp. int. & dep.	919,105	665,088	656,934
Net income...	4,932,024	4,117,993	3,248,024
Pfd. divs.....	2,518,454	2,647,995	2,647,995
Surplus	2,413,570	1,469,998	600,029
Pre. surplus..	7,434,035	5,964,037	5,364,008
P.&L. surp....	9,847,605	7,434,035	5,964,037

LOOSE-WILES BISCUIT CO. for year ended Dec. 31—

Total profits..	2,062,361	1,057,994	422,371
Exp., int., tax.	*539,957	154,204	226,828
Balance	1,522,404	903,790	195,543
1st pf. div....	344,050	344,050	344,050
Surp. for year..	1,178,354	559,650	†221,507

*Includes $300,000 provision for income and excess profits taxes. †Deficit.

FINANCIAL NOTES.

At a meeting of Directors of the Hanover National Bank Elmer E. Whitaker resigned as Cashier, Henry P. Turnbull was elected Vice President, and William E. Cable, Jr., was appointed Cashier.

Merrill, Lynch & Co. have prepared a circular analyzing a list of selected short term notes, railroad bonds, industrial, and public utility bonds and preferred stocks.

At the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company's annual meeting President S. D. Warriner and the Board Managers were re-elected, James F. Sullivan, who recently succeeded the late Richard Y. Cook, being elected for a full term.

At the annual meeting of the Borne-Scrymser Company, Benjamin L. Armstrong was elected as Director to fill a vacancy on the board, which has existed for the last two years. Phillip C. Meon was elected as Director to succeed T. G. Sullivan, who has retired from the office of Vice President and Director. O. G. Waring, A. C. Weed, and G. H. Kline were re-elected Directors. At the following board meeting O. G. Waring was re-elected President, A. C. Weed was elected Vice President and Treasurer to succeed T. G. Sullivan. Phillip C. Meon was elected Secretary to take the place of A. C. Weed.

BOSTON CURB.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Am Oil....	11	12	Iron Blos...	45	55
B S Gas....	9	10	Iron Cap....	19	19½
Begole	50	75	Jerome V....	70	80
Bing Min....	9	10	La Rose.....	20	25
Black H....	12	15	Majestic	28	32
Bohemia	85	100	Mex Met.....	45	48
Bost Ely....	70	80	Mojave T....	4	6
Bost & M....	60	61	New Balt....	95	1¼
Butte & L....	11	13	N Z & L....	3	4
Bost & Ar....	1	2	N Cornelia ..	16¼	16¾
Calaveras....	1	2	Nev Doug....	90	100
Crown Res....	18	25	Nixon Nev....	1⅛	1¼
Con Ariz....	1⅝	2⅛	Oneco	20	30
Cortez	10	12	Onondaga....	20	30
Champ C....	7	8	Pioneer C....	57	60
Chief Cons..	2¼	2½	Ray Herc.....	4¾	4⅞
E & B B....	3	5	Rilla	3	4
Earl Eagle..	3	5	*S W M.....	75	1¼
Gold Lake..	1	5	†S W M.....	1	1¼
Houghton....	75	100	U V Ext.....	39	40
Homa Oil....	76	78	Victoria M....	1½	1¾
Humboldt....	60	75	Yukon G'd....	1¼	1⅞

*Part paid. †Full paid.

METAL MARKET REPORT.

These prices were quoted on the local Metal Exchange yesterday:

	Yesterday. Bid.	Asked.	Monday. Bid.	Asked.
Spelter	7.90	8.10	7.90	8.15
Antimony	13.37½	13.62½	13.625	13.875
Quicksilver ...	$115.00	..	$115.00	..
Lead	7.25	7.50	7.125	7.25
Aluminium ...	*37.00	39.00	*37.00	39.00
Iron, No.2X f'dy	34.25	..	34.25	

*Nominal.

Electrolytic copper was quoted in the open market, all deliveries, 23½c per pound bid.

London quotations were:

	Yesterday. £	s.	d.	Monday. £	s.	d.
Copper, spot	110	0	0	110	0	0
Copper, futures	110	0	0	110	0	0
Tin, spot	314	0	0	314	0	0
Tin, futures	314	0	0	311	0	0
Spelter	54	0	0	54	0	0
Lead	29	10	0	29	10	0

THE COTTON MARKET

Another Sharp Advance, with Close Firm at Net Advances of 32 to 54 Points.

With the time for closing out March contracts rapidly approaching, and a scarcity of cotton for meeting such contracts as are outstanding growing increasingly evident—only one notice for March delivery was issued yesterday—while the trade continued to buy eagerly in the new crop months, the local cotton market experienced another sharp advance in prices yesterday. Chancellor von Hertling's speech may also have had some effect, at least in starting the short interest for cover. The market was strong all day, and particularly lively at the close, which found prices firm at net advances of from 32 to 54 points.

The opening was from 14 to 22 points higher than Monday's close, with Liverpool buying orders plentiful and supplemented by an active demand from domestic trade interests. There was a little realizing on this opening advance, enough to cause a brief wavering, but it soon became clear that there was relatively little cotton for sale in comparison with the demand both from the trade and from speculators who had been persistently favoring the short side, but who were finally compelled to cover. The approach of the danger point for some of the shorts accelerated the advance so that it was strongest in the late afternoon.

The Liverpool buying, supposed in considerable measure to represent the transferring of short hedges against spot cotton from this market to that, was interpreted as a basis for a more hopeful feeling regarding export prospects, of which there have recently been other indications. Business on the whole, while active, was in somewhat less volume, partly because of wire trouble between here and the South.

Yesterday's quotations follow:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Mon.
Mar.	31.15	31.20	31.06	31.28@31.29	30.93
Apr.	..	..	..	31.23	30.82
May	30.90	31.15	30.88	31.13@31.15	30.72
June	30.96	30.98	30.96	31.06@31.08	30.47
July	30.45	30.73	30.38	30.71@30.73	30.27
Aug.	..	..	..	30.43 bid	30.00
Sept.	..	..	..	29.94 bid	29.40
Oct.	29.28	29.70	29.25	29.68@29.70	29.14
Dec.	29.08	29.40	29.00	29.39@29.40	28.90

The local market for spot cotton was quiet and 30 points higher, at 32.25c for middling upland; sales, nil.

Southern spot markets were: Galveston, 31.00c; New Orleans, 31.88c; Savannah, 31¼c; Augusta, 32c; Memphis, 31.50c; Houston, 31.85c; Little Rock, 31.50c; Dallas, 31.70c.

Yesterday's cotton statistics were:

	Tuesday.	Last Week.	Last Year.
Port receipts......	*	21,660	13,633
Exports	*	9,429	13,981
Exports, season...	*	2,625,333	4,014,412
Port stocks.......	*	1,511,064	1,317,541
Interior receipts..	*	17,252	11,810
Interior shipments	*	12,654	9,980
New York arivals.	101	500	393
New York stocks..	157,585	151,899	153,012

*Wire trouble; not received.

Liverpool Cables.—Spot cotton quiet; 9 points higher; middling upland, old contract, 23.52d; good middling upland, new contract, 22.90d. Sales, 1,000 bales, all American. Imports, 34,000 bales, all American. Futures opened steady, 7 to 11 points higher. Closed very steady at a net gain of 17 to 34 points. Closing prices: Feb. 24.16d; March, 23.86d; April, 23.65d; May, 23.44d; June, 23.27d; July, 23.10d. Manchester—Yarns and cloths quiet and firm.

MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Alpha	.08	Gould & Curry...	.01
Alta	.03	Hale & Norcross..	.01
Andes	.17	Jacket	.07
Best & Belcher...	.01	Justice	.01
Bullion	.01	Mexican	.05
Caledonia	.05	Ophir	.11
Challenge Con....	.04	Potosi	.05
Chollar	.02	Seg. Belcher....	.01
Confidence	.05	Sierra Nevada...	.05
Con. Imperial....	.01	Union Con.......	.90
Con. Virginia....	.10	Mexican dollars..	.67

TONOPAH.		Goldfield Con.....	.38
Belmont	3.15	Goldfield Merger..	.01
Cash Boy........	.10	Great Bend.......	.07
Jim Butler......	.01	Jumbo Ext........	.15
McNamara	.14	Kewanas	.07
Midway	.00	Silver Pick......	.04
Mizpah	.05	Spearhead	.04
Monarch Pitts...	.06	MANHATTAN.	
Montana	.10	Consolidated	.10
North Star......	.05	Morning Glory....	.04
Rescue	.00	Union Amal.......	.05
Tonopah Divide..	.83	White Caps.......	.52
Tonopah Ext...	1.52½	OTHER DISTRICTS.	
West End........	.78	Nevada Hills.....	.05
West Tonopah....	.16	Packard	.20
GOLDFIELD.		Rochester	.30
Atlanta	.11	Round Mountain...	.33
Booth	.04	United Eastern...	4.95
Florence	.14		

EDWARDS EXPLAINS INCOME TAX PUZZLES

Internal Revenue Collector Addresses Members of the Produce Exchange.

TO ADVISE OTHER BROKERS

Says Wall Street May Prove Bulwark of Freedom in Struggle Against Prussianism.

The Government's campaign to elucidate the puzzling features of the excess profits tax as applied to the individual, partnership, or corporation was carried to the floor of the New York Produce Exchange yesterday, when, at the end of the day's trading, the law was explained by William H. Edwards, Internal Revenue Collector of the Second or Wall Street District, and George W. English, a tax adviser attached to Commissioner Roper's office in Washington.

Collector Edwards said he had listened to many suggestions from officers of the exchanges in New York as to the best methods of making lighter the work of keeping records and kindred data relating to the collection of the revenue taxes, and was always glad to forward such suggestions to Washington in the hope that some easier system might be evolved. At the same time the present system had been installed and as no word had come from Washington modifying the rules it was presumed they were to remain final.

After reminding his hearers that Wall Street might prove to be the bulwark of freedom in the struggle against Prussianism, Mr. Edwards asserted that he wanted to give the members of the Produce Exchange some facts pertaining to the income and excess profits taxes.

"An individual who is not a member of the Produce Exchange or any other Exchange," the Collector said, "cannot deduct from his income any losses incurred through the purchase and sale of stocks, unless he is a recognized broker buying and selling for others, as well as for himself, and holding a license as a broker.

"A broker who is a member of a partnership and trades on the side for himself cannot deduct from his income any losses he may incur in his personal tradings, unless he has a seat on the Exchange or is recognized on the Street in his own individual capacity as a broker buying and selling for others as well as himself.

"The income tax law levies a tax on income 'from whatever source derived,' but limits the losses that are deductible to losses incurred in the person's own particular business; therefore, a lawyer, for instance, who trades in stock cannot deduct from the income received by him from the practice of law the losses arising from stock tradings, unless he has accounted for a greater amount of gain from the same source and the net result of the stock tradings would reflect a gain.

"Losses incurred by an individual in transactions entered into for profit, but not connected with his regular trade or business, are only deductible up to an amount of gains from the same source; in other words, if the net result is a gain it is income, but if the net result is a loss it is not deductible as such from his income for income tax purposes.

"It is my opinion that a two-dollar broker trading on the Exchange constitutes a vocation, and the income derived from same is liable to the excess profits tax of 8 per cent. They also have to keep the book prescribed by Washington and file monthly returns."

Mr. English discussed the excess profits tax from many angles.

Collector Edwards and Mr. English will visit the Consolidated Exchange at the close of business today, and tomorrow will talk to the Curb Brokers' Association in the hall over Robbins's restaurant in Broad Street.

Collector Mark Eisner of the Third or Upper Manhattan Revenue District, called attention yesterday to the fact that the Internal Revenue Bureau had issued a new form, No. 1,065, upon which partnerships will be compelled to make return of net income where the net income amounts to $6,000 or more, without deducting salaries or interest paid to partners. This return is required for calculating excess profits tax where the partnership does business with no invested capital or only a nominal capital, and therefore comes within the 8 per cent. class.

Mr. Eisner said another blank, Form 1,102, which is the partnership excess profits tax return, would be required in every instance where partnerships do business upon an invested capital, and were subject, therefore, to the graduated computation provided in Section 201 of the excess profits law. Thus, the Collector said, it appeared that partnerships doing business on an invested capital would be required to file two returns, Forms 1,102 and 1,065.

REFUND OF INCOME TAX.

Instructions to Collectors Regarding Claims on Stock Dividends.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Instructions have gone out from the Bureau of Internal Revenue to collectors in regard to claims for refund of income tax collected on stock dividends illegally, as decided by the Supreme Court in the case of Towne vs. Eisner. In that case a stock dividend of the Yale & Towne Manufacturing Company was paid from several years' earnings. The court held that this could not be regarded as income of the year and, in effect, was only a converted form of property.

The directions in regard to making claims based on this interpretation of the law follow:

"In order to complete claims for the refunding of income tax collected under the Act of October 3, 1913, on stock dividends; that is, claims based upon the decision of the Supreme Court in the case of Towne vs. Eisner, the following evidence is required:

"An affidavit showing:

"1. The name of the corporation which declared and paid the stock dividend.

"2. The date of declaration of the stock dividend and date of receipt by claimant.

"3. In which year's return of annual net income did the claimant include this stock dividend?

"4. Under what item on the return was the value of the stock dividend included, and what was the valuation placed upon the dividend in the return?

"5. Has the stock thus received and returned as a dividend been sold by the claimant, and if so, what was the date of sale? How much did claimant receive from the sale, and what part of the total amount received from the sale was included by the claimant in his return of annual net income for the year in which the sale occurred?

"6. Did the dividend consist of stock of the corporation distributing the dividend to claimant, or did it consist of stock acquired by the distributer in another corporation?

"A stock dividend is a distribution by a corporation to its stockholders of capital stock of the distributing corporation. A distribution of capital stock other than that of the distributing corporation is not a stock dividend, but a dividend in property.

"In giving publicity to this requirement please inform taxpayers that there is no possible advantage in the employment of special attorneys for the prosecution of claims. Preparations are being made for the prompt handling of these cases, and it is believed that they can be disposed of with minimum delay and inconvenience to the taxpayer. Claims filed directly by the claimants will receive in every respect as careful and expeditious consideration as those filed through special attorneys."

FEAR FOR PAPER OUTPUT.

Investigations Arrest Development of Canadian Trade.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce of Toronto devotes considerable space in its February letter to the paper and pulp industry of the Dominion, saying that the Government investigation, now in progress, is having adverse effects on the activity of producers.

"The investigation into the pulp and paper industry by a Dominion Government commission," says the letter, "is a cause of uneasiness to the trade, and this has been increased by similar action in the United States. The effect of the investigation has been to check development considerably. It cannot be expected that new capital will seek employment in an industry in which selling prices are arbitrarily fixed at a point which in the opinion of practical men does not provide a sufficient margin of profit and a reserve against the hazards of the times. If the extraordinary demand is to be met, more plant will be essential, yet very little is being built."

It is stated that exports of paper last year were valued at $26,072,640, an increase of $6,050,000 over 1916. The aggregate exports of paper and pulp amounted to $52,024,888, a gain of $16,783,223.

"The paper referred to," the letter adds, "is largely newsprint. About the middle of January the Minister of Finance fixed the price in Canada at $57 a ton, effective for three months from Feb. 1. It is understood that the actual average cost of this class of paper is slightly above that figure, in view of which those mills which do not export are at a decided disadvantage, as they are not benefited by the higher price of $60 a ton fixed in the United States."

NEW INCORPORATIONS.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Feb. 26.—Fifteen new corporations with an aggregate capital stock of $310,100 were chartered today. They include: Corrigan-Welsh Const. Co., Manhattan, $12,000; D. and C. L. Weiss, J. H. Corrigan, 2 Columbus Circle.

Columbia Ship Fitting Co., Manhattan, $10,000; H. R. Sheehan, C. M. Chute, E. Patella, 317 Degraw St., Brooklyn.

Capital Hat Co., Manhattan, $10,000; S. Sabel, D. Kane, J. J. Alexander, 1,337 Merriam Av.

Falls Purchasing Asso., Niagara Falls, goods, wares, and merchandise, $10,000; A. H. Noeller, G. S. Hackett, J. L. Swick, Niagara Falls.

A. Sonnenchein, Manhattan, furs, $10,000; M. Henig, S. Friedman, A. Sonnenchein, 1,348 Lexington Av.

Pine Hill Farms, Brooklyn, $16,000; W. Bonner, A. F. and L. B. Wilson, 629 Jefferson Av., Brooklyn.

Kings Optical Shop, Manhattan, $50,000; W. F. Mountain, A. Holloway, E. H. Madlenger, 429 42d St., Brooklyn.

Scandinavian Sales Co., Manhattan, bookselling and stationery, $50,000; J. E. Smyth, T. A. Kennedy, R. A. Field, 835 Greene Av., Brooklyn.

Boggs Potato Grader Co., Atlanta, $100,000; F. J. Walker, D. W. Shults, H. C. Hatch, Atlanta.

F. and G. Chemical Works, Brooklyn, $5,000; D. Lenkowsky, M. J. and H. Lesser, 277 Pennsylvania Av., Brooklyn.

No. 60 West 94th Street Co., Manhattan, realty, $30,000; J. O. Silvis, J. P. Lyss, M. Goldman, 165 Broadway.

Keeney Distributing Co., Manhattan, motion pictures, $10,000; F. A. Keeney, R. C. Owens, R. Naplebaum, 1,495 Broadway.

CAPITAL INCREASES.

Bader & Eisenberg, Manhattan, $4,000 to $10,000.

Vogue Hat Co., Manhattan, $60,000 to $135,000.

Herman Gabbe & Bro., Brooklyn, $100,000 to $200,000.

John L. Schoenfeld Co., Manhattan, $7,000 to $50,000.

Mayes L. Miller, Manhattan, $10,000 to $50,000.

Alfalfa Growers Asso., Manhattan, $3,000 to $60,000.

DISSOLUTIONS.

Atlantic Lunch Co., Buffalo.

Pan American Commission Corp., Manhattan.

New Jersey Charters.

TRENTON, Feb. 26.—Charters filed: The Waldron Co., real estate, Atlantic City, $25,000; Martha E. Waldron, Alfred Waldron, Clarence L. Goldenberg, Atlantic City.

Buckingham Farms, Trenton, $50,000; Paul H. Kroeger, Herman Morthorst, Flemington; Francis Pettit, Hopewell.

United American Ice Cream Co., Jersey City, $100,000; Henry Buttelman, George E. Schmid, Eugene Schmid, Jersey City.

West New York Rug Mfg. Co., West New York, $5,000; Adolph Eyferth, Frank Maleson, West New York; Samuel Brenner, New York.

Delaware Charters.

Special to The New York Times.

DOVER, Feb. 26.—Charters filed: Superior Mutual Life Agency Co., $1,000,000; S. H. Bayhard, Jr., A. M. Fox, C. B. Bishop of Wilmington.

National Electrical Appliance Co., $300,000; C. L. Rimlinger, M. M. Clancy, F. A. Armstrong of Wilmington.

DIVIDENDS.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.
THE AMERICAN GAS COMPANY,
104 Market Street,
Camden, N. J., Feb. 19, 1918.

A quarterly dividend of 2%, or $2.00 per share, has been declared on the capital stock of this Company, payable March 1st, 1918, to the stockholders of record at three o'clock P. M., Feb. 20th, 1918. Checks will be mailed.
J. B. TOWNSEND 3d, Treasurer.

FLORIDA EAST COAST RAILWAY COMPANY.
New York, Feb. 18th, 1918.

The Board of Directors has declared out of the earnings for the six months ending December 31st, 1917, interest at the rate of 5%, payable April 1st next, on the $25,000,000 General Mortgage Income 5% Fifty Year Gold Bonds, dated July 1st, 1909.
J. C. SALTER, Secretary.

COMMODITIES MARKETS

WHEAT.

Receipts of wheat at Western points were small, and it has not yet developed whether or not the movement from the farms will be larger as a result of the fixing of the price for the next crop. The weather was comparatively mild over practically the entire wheat belt, and within a short time the wheat in the Southwest will begin to take on new growth, when it will be possible to arrive at a fairly definite conclusion as to how it has passed the Winter.

RYE.—Market for rye was very strong in the West, prices showing gains of 3@7c per bushel owing to a steadily increasing demand for rye flour. In the local market No. 2 Western was quoted at $2.45, cost and freight, New York.

CORN.

Trading operations in the corn market were very quiet, owing partly to interrupted private wire communications with the West, and also on account of a disposition on the part of traders to await developments. As far as contracts were concerned, price changes were very narrow, and final quotations were net unchanged. The cash position was comparatively firm, with only moderate alterations. Receipts at primary points were again liberal, exceeding last week's movement by 540,000 bushels for the day. Weather conditions were favorable for railroad operation, and with the special efforts being exerted to get corn to market a continuation of the big receipts is expected. In the local cash market prices were steady; kiln dried No. 2 yellow quoted at $2.08½; No. 3 yellow, $1.88½; No. 3 white, $2.26½, cost and freight, New York; Argentine corn, $2.21, free on board cars.

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
February	1.28	1.28	1.28	1.28
March	..	..	..	1.27½
May	1.27	1.26⅝	1.26⅝	1.26⅝

OATS.

An easier tone prevailed in the oats market, and final quotations were ½c net lower. Outside interest was again small, and, despite the prevailing belief that the technical position had been strengthened by recent liquidation, there was an absence of demand and prices were easily influenced by moderate selling. The cash situation in the West was slightly easier, although there were said to be very heavy contracts to be filled both for Eastern domestic account and for export. Receipts at primary points were liberal. The trade as a rule was disposed to take a bullish view of the cash position, as it is the general impression that oats will continue to be wanted about as fast as it arrives at the terminals. The local cash market was barely steady. Natural quoted at $1.05 to $1.06; clipped white, $1.07@$1.08, all elevator.

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
March	89½	88½	88⅝	89⅜
May	88⅜	87½	87½	88

PROVISIONS.

Prices in the market for hog products experienced a moderate advance, as far as lard and ribs were concerned, but pork was easier. The volume of business was small, and the action of prices depended largely on technical conditions of the market. Receipts of hogs at Chicago were 52,000, estimated for today, 40,000; Kansas City received 12,000, and Omaha, 18,000 hogs.

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Lard—				
May	26.17	26.05	26.12	26.02
July	26.40	26.27	26.32	26.25
Ribs—				
May	25.45	25.30	25.35	25.27
July	25.85	25.70	25.75	25.70
Pork—				
May	48.65	48.20	48.35	48.55

COTTONSEED OIL.

An easier tone prevailed in the market for cottonseed oil, owing to tenders of 1,200 barrels on March contracts, and final bids were 10 to 30 points net lower. Operations for the day consisted of exchanges from March into May at 40 and 50 points premium. Range of prices:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Spot	..	..	19.90@	20.00
February	..	..	..@..	20.00
March	..	..	19.90@20.30	20.30
April	..	..	20.00@20.40	20.40
May	..	..	20.30@20.75	20.40
June	..	..	20.30@	

COFFEE.

While trading in the market for coffee futures was quiet yesterday the tone was generally firm, and after opening at advances of 1 to 5 points prices worked upward in the absence of selling pressure. The close showed net gains of 8 to 15 points, with September deliveries selling around 8.54c, or the highest price touched since the break which followed the announcement of maximum values early in the month.

The buying was attributed to scattered covering, or a little demand from trade sources, rather than to any broadening of general interest or any particular improvement in the volume of spot business. There was a fair business doing the last few days in coffee, free on board Brazil, and while details as to price and grade were lacking, it was believed to be close to the 8c basis. The Rio and Santos spot markets were unchanged, while Santos futures showed declines of 50 to 100 reis. Receipts at the two ports continue heavy, 63,000 bags against 18,000 bags a year ago. There were clearances from Rio for New York with 15,000 bags and from Santos for New Orleans with 27,000 bags, both via steamer. The local spot market was quiet and unchanged at 8¼c for Rio 7s. Range of prices:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
March	8.10	8.00	8.13@8.15	7.98
April	..	..	8.23@8.25	8.09
May	8.34	8.25	8.33@8.35	8.21
June	..	..	8.39@8.40	8.27
July	8.45	8.40	8.44@8.45	8.32
August	..	..	8.49@8.50	8.40
September ..	8.54	8.46	8.54@8.56	8.46
October	..	..	8.58@8.59	8.50
November ..	..	..	8.63@8.64	8.55
December ...	8.66	8.62	8.67@8.68	8.51
January	..	..	8.74@8.75	8.63

SUGAR.

The Cuban weekly cable shows heavy increases in exports of sugar from the island, being about 54,000 tons more than the previous week. Stocks are also increasing, being 554,897 tons against 515,236 tons a week ago. There are 193 mills grinding, one having finished its crop. In the local market Howell's and the Federal are again accepting limited business and advices from the Food Administration say that manufacturers will shortly be allowed their full quota of sugar. Refiners report that they are rapidly catching up on old orders and it is believed that the domestic trade will soon be better taken care of. The International Sugar Committee continues to make liberal purchases of raw sugar, yesterday's purchases amounting to 250,000 bags Cubas, at 4.985c, cost and freight, and 30,000 bags Porto Ricos, at 6.005c, cost, insurance, and freight, both March loading.

BUTTER AND EGG MARKET.

BUTTER.—Receipts yesterday, 9,553 packages. Large accumulations of fresh butter, comparatively narrow outlets, and strong pressure to sell combine to make a lower and unsettled market for all grades of table butter. Renovated a little easier. Ladles and packing stock favor the buyer. Creamery, higher than extras, a lb., 50@50½c; extras, (92 score,) 49½@49¾c; firsts, (88 to 91 score,) 48@49c; seconds, (83 to 87 score,) 46@47½c; thirds, 44½@45½c; creamery, unsalted, higher than extras, 51@51½c; extras, 50@50½c; firsts, 48½@49½c; seconds, 46½@48c; creamery, held, as to quality, 44@47c; State dairy, tubs, finest, 49c; good to prime, 47@48½c; common to fair, 42@46½c; renovated, extras, 45½@46c; firsts, 44@45c; lower grades, 39@43c; imitation creamery, firsts, 42@42½c; ladles, current make, firsts, 38½@39½c; seconds, 37½c; lower grades, 36@37c; packing stock, current make, No. 1, 37½c; No. 2, 36½c; lower grades, 34@36c.

EGGS.—7,120 cases. The market continued unsettled and irregular Monday afternoon; a steady feeling prevailed at the opening yesterday, but weakness developed later in the morning as offerings increased. Demand has taken hold better and receipts are clearing fairly well as they come to hand, though the market is generally irregular. White eggs less plenty but steady. Fresh gathered extras a dozen, 54@55c; extra firsts, 53½c; firsts, 52@53c; seconds, 50@51½c; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby Western, hennery whites, fine to fancy, 56@57c; ordinary to good, 55@56c; gathered whites, ordinary to fine, 53@56c; California whites, No. 1, 54@55c; small, 53@53½c; Western and Southern, gathered whites, 53@54c; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby hennery browns, 53@55c; gathered brown and mixed colors, 52½@54c.

Canadian Paper Mills

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NOTICE is hereby given to holders of the following numbered bonds issued under BINGHAMTON LIGHT, HEAT & POWER COMPANY First Refunding 5% Mortgage dated July 1, 1902, to wit:

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That the above numbered bonds of $1,000 each are called for payment under the operation of the Sinking Fund provided for in said Mortgage. Upon presentation at the office of UNITED STATES TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK, Trustee, No. 45 Wall Street, New York City, on or before March 29, 1918, payment therefor will be made at the rate of 110% of the principal of the bonds and accrued interest to the date of payment. All interest upon the called bonds will cease after March 29, 1918.

PROPOSALS.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the undersigned, Ellis Island, N. Y. H., until 2:30 P. M., March 6, 1918, and then opened for the construction of a section of Sea Wall at the U. S. Immigration Station, Ellis Island. For specification apply to FREDERIC C. HOWE, Commissioner of Immigration.

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DIVIDENDS.

INTERSTATE ELECTRIC CORPORATION.
Preferred Stock Dividend No. 9.

A dividend of one and three-quarters (1¾) per cent. on the Preferred Stock of the Interstate Electric Corporation has been declared, payable March 1, 1918, to Preferred Stockholders of record at the close of business Feb. 24, 1918.
ROBERT W. DAVIDSON, Secretary.

DIVIDENDS.

OFFICE OF THE AMERICAN COAL COMPANY,
of Allegany County, (New Jersey,)
No. 1 Broadway, New York, N. Y.,
Feb. 14, 1918.

The Board of Directors of THE AMERICAN COAL COMPANY of Allegany County, (New Jersey,) has this day declared a dividend of two and one-half dollars per share upon the stock of the Company, payable at this office on Friday, March 1, 1918, to stockholders of record at 3 o'clock P. M., February 28, 1918.

The transfer books will not be closed.
GEORGE M. BOWLBY, Treasurer.

INTERBOROUGH CONSOLIDATED CORPORATION.
Notice of Payment of Dividend.

The Board of Directors of the Interborough Consolidated Corporation, at a meeting held today, declared from surplus a dividend of 1¼% on the Preferred Stock, payable at the office of the Corporation, No. 165 Broadway, New York City, on April 1st, 1918, to the stockholders of record at the close of business on March 11th, 1918.
H. M. FISHER, Secretary.
New York, Feb. 26, 1918.

AMERICAN GRAPHOPHONE CO.
COMMON DIVIDEND NO. 52.

A dividend (No. 52) of one and three-quarters (1¾%) per cent. has been declared upon the Common Capital Stock of the American Graphophone Company, payable April 1st, 1918, to stockholders of record at the close of business March 15th, 1918. Transfer books will not be closed.
C. W. WODDROP, Treasurer.

KENNECOTT COPPER CORPORATION
120 Broadway, New York, Feb. 26, 1918.

The Board of Directors of the Kennecott Copper Corporation has today declared a dividend of 50c per share and a capital distribution of 50c per share, payable March 30, 1918, to stockholders of record at the close of business at 3 P. M., March 8, 1918. Transfer books will not close.
C. T. ULRICH, Secretary.

FEDERAL SUGAR REFINING CO.
February 26, 1918.

A quarterly dividend of One and Three-quarters Per Cent. (1¾%) on the Common Stock of this Company was declared this date, payable March 15th to stockholders of record at the close of business March 5th, 1918.
PIERRE J. SMITH, Treasurer.

CENTRAL LEATHER COMPANY.

A dividend of $1.75 per share on its Preferred Stock has this day been declared by the Board of Directors of this Company, payable April 1st, 1918, to stockholders of record March 8th, 1918.
H. W. HILL, Treasurer.
New York, Feb. 26th, 1918.

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THIRD AVENUE PASSES PAYMENT OF INTEREST

Directors of Railway Take Action After Report Shows January Deficit of $103,776.

Following the publication of a report of earnings for the month of January, showing a decrease in net operating revenue of $66,931, compared with the showing of January, 1917, and a deficit after meeting all fixed charges of $103,776, as compared with a deficit of $59.98 a year ago, Directors of the Third Avenue Railway System yesterday voted to pass the interest payment on the company's adjustment income bonds.

The resolution declaring "no interest on said bonds is due or payable" formed a part of a resolution appropriating $494,386 out of the income of the Third Avenue for the six months ended Dec. 31 last, as reserve for maintenance, equipment, and operation of the Third Avenue and its subsidiaries.

The total operating expenses of the Third Avenue for January showed a decrease of $14,142 from those of a year ago, but operating revenue fell off $81,074 in the month, the entire loss being due to decline in passenger fares. As a result, the gross income of the company was virtually cut in half. For the seven months, including January, the showing was much better, the deficit being cut to $172,790, against $1,327,926 for the same period one year earlier.

DIVIDENDS DECLARED.

Company.	Rate.	Period.	Payable.	Hold. of Record.
Cent. Leather pf.	1¾	Q	Apr. 1	Mar. 8
Chi. & N. W.	1¾	Q	Apr. 1	Mar. 9
Do pf	2	Q	Apr. 1	Mar. 9
Cont. Refining	1	M	Mar. 10	Feb. 28
Globe Soap Com. Sp.pf.1st & 2d pf.	1½	Q	Mar. 15	Mar. 1
Liggett & Myers pf.	1¾	Q	Apr. 1	Mar. 15
Man. El Sup. 2d pf.	1¾	Q	Apr. 1	Mar. 19
N. Y. Edison	1¾	Q	Mar 14	......
Pack. Mot. Car pf.	1½	Q	Mar. 15	Feb. 28
S. H. Kress pf.	1¾	Q	Apr. 1	Mar. 20
Stand. Oil of Ky.	$3	Q	Apr. 1	Mar. 16

BISCUIT CO. DOUBLES PROFIT

Loose-Wiles Reports Net Earnings of $2,062,361 in 1917.

The Loose-Wiles Biscuit Company's profit of $2,062,361 in 1917, as set forth in the annual statement yesterday, was practically double that of the preceding year. The management reserved $539,957 for expenses, interest, and taxes, of which $300,000 was for the war income and excess profits tax. In 1916 the reservation was $154,294 for the three items. After paying the first preferred stock dividend a balance of $1,178,354 remained, an increase of $618,704. In terms of the second preferred stock, the balance was equal to $58.91 a share, against $27.98 the year before.

J. L. Loose, President, informed stockholders that it had been deemed best not to pay dividends on the second preferred until accumulated earnings were large enough to release a substantial part of the company's borrowed funds.

UNITED STATES GOVT. BONDS

Inasmuch as the bulk of business in United States Government bonds is done over the counter, and not on the Stock Exchange, THE TIMES gives the following quotations, obtained from bond dealers:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
2s, registered, 1930	97¼	98	3s, convertible, 1947	84	88
2s, coupon, 1930	97¼	98	4s, registered, 1925	104¾	105¼
2s, coupon, '38, reg.	97	97¾	4s, coupon, 1925	104¾	..
3s, registered, 1918	99	100	2s, Panama, '38, coupon	97	97¾
3s, coupon, 1918	99	100	3s, Panama, '61, reg.	84	87
3s, registered, 1946	84	88	3s, Panama, '61, coupon	84	87
3s, coupon, 1946	84	88			

NEW YORK CITY BONDS

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Monday. Bid.
4½s July, 1967	95⅞	96½	95¾
4½s June, 1965	95⅞	96½	95¾
4½s Mar., 1963	95⅞	96½	95⅞
4½s Nov., 1957	96	96¼	95⅞
4½s May, 1957	96	96½	95⅞
4¼s Mar., 1960-30	89¾	90½	89¼
4¼s April, 1966	89¾	90½	89¾
4¼s Mar., 1964	89¾	90½	89¾
4¼s May, 1962	89¾	90¼	89¼
4¼s Sept., 1960	89¾	90¼	89¾
4s May, 1959	86¾	87¼	86¾
4s Nov., 1958	86¾	87½	86¾
4s May, 1957	86¾	87½	86¾
4s Nov., 1956	85¼	86¼	85¼
4s Nov., 1955	85½	86¼	85¼
4s Nov., 1936	89	..	89
4s May, 1919	98½	..	98½
4s Nov., 1918	99	..	99
3½s Nov., 1954	77	79	77
3½s May, 1954	77	79	77
3½s Nov., 1955	..	80	..

The following are quoted on a percentage basis:

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Monday. Bid.
4¼s 1924-1931	4.90	4.60	4.90
4¼s 1921-1923	4.90	4.60	4.90
4¼s April, 1920	4.90	4.60	4.90
4¼s 1918-1919	4.90	..	4.90
4½s 1924-1932	4.90	4.60	4.90
4½s 1918-1923	4.90	4.60	4.90
3½s 1918	5.00	..	5.00
3½s 1940-1953	4.90	4.75	4.90
3½s 1930-1939	4.90	4.70	4.90
3½s 1922-1929	4.90	4.70	4.90
3½s 1919-1921	4.90	4.70	4.90
3s 1940-1953	5.00	4.70	5.00
3s 1926-1930	5.00	4.70	5.00
3s 1918-1925	5.00	4.70	5.00

PUBLIC UTILITIES

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Bid.	Asked.
298	Cities Service	203	200	202	205
65	Cities Service pf.	76	75¼	75½	75¾
25	Am. Power & Light	47	47	47	50

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Adirondack Elec. Power	15	16	Int.-M. Ry., L. & P.pf.	94	98
Adiron. Elec. Power pf.	72	75	Interstate Electric	32	41
Am. Gas & Electric	90	92	Interstate Elec. pf.	90	95
Am. Gas & Electric pf.	40	41	Miss. River Power	13	17
Am. Light & Traction	205	210	Miss. River Power pf.	38	42
Am. Light & Trac. pf.	95	97	Northern Ohio Electric	..	28
Am. Power & Light pf.	74	76	Northern Ohio Elec. pf.	..	65
Am. Public Utilities	25	30	North. Ont. L. & Pow.	11	15
Am. Pub. Utilities pf.	58	63	North. Ont. L. & P. pf.	53	57
Am. Water W. & Elec.	4½	5½	Northern States Power	59	62
Am. W. W. & E. 1st pf.	58	61	North. States Pow. pf.	86½	88
Am. W. W. & E. partic.	11	14	Northern Tex. Electric	55	60
Carolina Power & Light	30	32	Northern Tex. Elec. pf.	70	74
Carolina Pow. & Lt. pf.	88	90	Ozark Power & Water	35	45
Cities Service pf.	75	77	Pacific Gas & Electric	34	34¾
Colorado Power	26	28	Pacific Gas & Elec. pf.	81½	82
Colorado Power pf.	95	100	Puget S. T., L. & P.	10	14
Columbus Electric pf.	71	77	Puget S. T., L. & P. pf	36	42
Com. Power, Ry. & Lt.	22	24	Ry. & L. Secur. pf.	80	85
Com. Pow., Ry. & L.pf.	49	51	Republic Ry. & Light	23	24
Conn. Power pf.	81	86	Republic Ry. & Lt. pf.	57	59
Consumers' Power pf.	82	87	Southern Cal. Edison	79	83
Dayton Power & L. pf.	79	82	South. Cal. Edison pf.	98	102
Eastern Texas Electric	55	60	Standard Gas & Elec.	6	8
Eastern Texas Elec. pf.	74	79	Stand. Gas & Elec. pf.	24	26
El Paso Electric	91	96	Tampa Electric	100	..
El Paso Electric pf.	87	91	Tenn. Ry., L. & P.	2	3
Electric B. & S. pf.	91	94	Tenn. Ry., L. & P. pf.	9	10
Electric Properties	55	60	Texas Power & L. pf.	86	91
Empire Dist. Elec. pf.	84	89	Tri-City Ry. & L. pf.	83	87
Federal Light & Trac.	5	10	United Light & Rys.	27	30
Federal Lt. & Trac. pf.	27	33	United L. & Rys. pf.	61	63
Galveston-Hous. Elec.	18	..	Wash. I. W. L. & P. pf.	81½	84
Galveston-Hous. El. pf.	60	68	Western Power	11	13
Gas & Elec. Securities	280	300	Western Power pf.	47	50
Gas & Elec. Secur. pf.	93	98	Yadkin Riv. Power pf.	98	100
Idaho Power 7% pf.	98	100			

Bonds.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Alabama Water 6s, '20	96½	..	Miss. Riv. Pow. 1st 5s	69	71
Appalach. Pow. 5s, '32	70	75	Miss. V. G. & E. 5s, '22	76	84
Cincinnati Gas & Elec. Co. 1st 5s, 1956	88	93½	Nor. States Pow. 6s, '26	91	94
Col. G. & E. deb. 5s, '27	67	75	Nor. States Pow. 5s, '41	87	87½
Commonwealth Power (Neb.) 1st 6s, 1944	97½	100	Nor. Tex. Elec. col. 5s	80	87
Conn. Power 5s, 1963	85	90	Omaha & C. B. 5s	80	86
Dallas Elec. 5s, 1922	85	90	Roanoke W. W. 5s, '19	96¼	96¾
East. Tex. Elec. col. 5s	85	90	So. Cal. Edison 5s, '39	85	90
El Paso Elec. col. 5s	87	93	Twin States Gas & El. 5s, 1953	85	92
Gt. West. Pow. 5s, '46	72	76	Un. L. & R. 1st 5s, '32	76	80
Gt. West. Pow. 6s, '25	80	85	Un. L. & R. deb. 6s, '26	85	95
Int.-M. Ry., L. & P. 6s	95½	99¾	United Util. cv. 6s, '43	90	95
Knox. Gas 1st 5s, '38	80	87	Utah Securities 6s	83	86
Middle W. U. 6s, '25	..	99	Wash. I. W. L. & P. 6s	94½	98
			Wis. Edison 6s, 1924	90	98

OUT-OF-TOWN EXCHANGES

BALTIMORE.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
140	Ala.Co.2d pf.	60	59	60	4	Fidel.& Dep.	114	114	114
100	Cit. Nat. Bk.	42⅝	42⅝	42⅝	5	Hous. Oil	42	42	42
10	Con. Coal	103	103	103	6	Do pf	65½	65½	65½
5	Con. Power	99	99	99	45	North. Cent.	73¼	73¼	73¼
144	Cosden	8	7¾	7¾	3	Robinson	4½	4½	4½
310	Cosden pf.	3¾	3¾	3¾	8	Do pf	8	8	8
25	Davison Ch.	35⅝	35¼	35⅝	180	United Ry.	23½	23½	23½
255	Elkhorn	27⅞	26½	27⅞					

Bonds.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$1,000	Central Ry. con. 5s	99½	99½	99½	$2,000	KirbyLum.6s	97⅝	97¼	97¼
3,000	Con. Power 5s notes	95¼	95¼	95¼	1,000	United Ry.4s	76⅜	76⅜	76⅜
2,000	Cos.O.& G.6s	96	96	96	2,100	Do fdg	82½	81	82½
					5,000	W.,B.& A.5s	83½	83⅜	83⅜

BOSTON.

Mining.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
100	Am. Zinc pf.	45	45	45	60	Mohawk	64	64	64
95	Ahmeek	80	79⅞	80	100	New Arcad'n	2	2	2
665	Alaska	1⅞	1⅝	1⅞	10	New Riv. pf.	77	77	77
10	Allouez	52	52	52	10	North Butte.	15⅝	15½	15½
60	Ariz. Com'l.	13½	13	13½	825	North Lake.	37c	25c	25c
71	Cal. & Ariz.	69¾	68½	69½	18	Osceola	60	59	59¾
4	Cal. & Hec.	445	445	445	230	Pond Creek	19½	19	19
2	Chino	44⅛	44⅛	44⅛	26	Quincy	76	75	75
190	Cop. Range	45⅝	45⅛	45⅛	155	Shannon	5⅛	5	5⅛
20	Daly-West	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	15	St. M. Land	54	53¼	53¼
695	Davis-Daly	5¼	5¼	5¼	100	Sup. & Bos.	3⅛	3	3
200	East Butte	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	110	Trinity	3⅞	3⅜	3⅞
100	Franklin	6	6	6	197	U. S. Smelter	47¼	46½	47¼
165	Hancock	8¼	8	8¼	10	Do pf	45	45	45
25	Inspiration	46⅛	46½	46⅛	165	Utah Apex	2½	2 1-16	2 1-16
110	Kerr Lake	5⅝	5½	5⅝	25	Utah Copper	83¼	83¼	83¼
165	Lake	6¼	6	6¼	30	Utah Con.	11⅝	11¼	11¼
105	May.-Old C.	1⅛	1	1⅛	39	Wolverine	34	33¾	34
10	Michigan	2¼	2¼	2¼					

Railroads.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
3	Boston & A.	128	128	128	59	Mass. El. pf.	12	11½	11½
202	Boston Elev.	45⅛	43	45⅛	110	New Haven	29	28	29
46	Boston & L.	88	88	88	51	West End	38½	37½	38½
4	Fitchburg pf.	61	61	61	1	Do pf	48	48	48

Miscellaneous.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
14	Am. A. C. pf	93	93	93	25	Mass. Gas	81	81	81
100	Am. Pneu. S	1¼	1¼	1¼	11	Do pf	66½	66	66¼
150	Do pf	12½	12¼	12¼	9	N. E. Tel.	96½	96½	96½
50	Am. Sugar	108	107⅞	107⅞	115	Punta Sugar	35	33	35
15	Do pf	110⅞	110⅞	110⅞	5	Plant pf.	97	97	97
220	A. T. & T.	106⅞	106¼	106½	67	Swift	128¾	128	128
15	Am. Wool	54	53¾	54	39	United Drug	70⅞	70⅝	70⅝
33	Do pf	94	93¾	94	120	United Fruit	128½	127	128½
105	A.,G. & W.I.	114½	112¼	114½	448	United Shoe	43½	43	43½
215	Booth Fish	25	24½	25	1,775	Ventura Oil	7¼	7	7¼
5	Ga.R. & E.pf	80½	80½	80½	10	West. Union	90½	90¼	90½
15	Gen. Elec.	140½	139½	140½					

Bonds.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$7,000	A., G. & W. I. 5s	77½	77	77	$1,000	West. T. 5s	90¼	90¼	90¼
1,000	Miss. R.P. 5s	70½	70½	70½	4,400	Liberty Loan 3½s	97.87	97.54	97.54
7,000	Swift 5s	95¼	95¼	95¼	2,350	Do conv. 4s	97.20	96.74	97.00
1,000	Un. F. 4½s	95¾	95¾	95¾	18,200	Do 4s, '42	97.00	96.54	96.54

CHICAGO.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
40	Am. Ship	90	90	90	160	M. Ward pf.	105	104	104½
10	Booth Fish	24⅞	24⅞	24⅞	60	Do rects	104	104	104
210	Chi. Pn. T.	52½	52¼	52½	385	Sears, Roeb.	152	150½	152
23	Com. Edison	108	107½	108	50	Do pf	120	119⅞	120
20	Dia. Match	111½	111	111	222	Stew. Warn.	57	55	57
10	H., S. & M.	64	64	64	850	Un. Carbide	52¾	51⅞	52¾
25	Ill. Brick	53½	53½	53½	195	Wilson	55⅞	52⅞	55⅞
1,065	Lindsay Lt.	21½	21½	21½	5	Do pf	97¼	97¼	97¼

Bonds.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$1,000	Booth F. 6s	89½	89½	89½	$1,500	Swift 1st 5s	94½	94½	94½
1,000	Ch. P. T. 5s	97	97	97	9,900	Lib'ty 2d 4s	96.74	96.60	96.64
2,000	C.Rys.Se.B5s	59	59	59					

PHILADELPHIA.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
11	Am. Gas	85⅞	85⅞	85⅞	500	Phila. Elec.	25¼	25	25¼
10	Elec. Stor.	50	50	50	160	Phil.R.T.t.c.	26⅝	26¼	26⅝
50	Ins. N. A.	25¼	25¼	25¼	85	Ton. Belm't.	3⅜	3¼	3⅜
2,025	L. Sup. Cor.	16¼	15⅞	16¼	405	Ton. Mining	3½	3¼	3¼
40	Lehigh Nav.	63½	63¼	63¼	44	Un. Gas Im.	69¾	69¼	69¾
30	Lehigh Val.	58	58	58	8	Westm. Coal	72	72	72
677	Pennsylvania	45¼	45	45¼	30	York Ry. pf.	32	32	32

Bonds.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$5,000	A.G.& E.5s	80	80	80	$6,600	Lib'ty 2d 4s	96.96	96.62	96.62
3,500	I'stateRys.4s	41	40¼	40¼	4,000	Pa. Co. con. 4½s	97¼	97	97¼
2,000	L. V. gen. 4s	78¼	78¼	78¼	6,100	Ph. El. 1st 5s	96	94¾	94¾
3,000	L.V.Coal 5s	100	100	100	1,000	Rdg. gen. 4s	83½	83½	83½
25,000	Liberty 3½s	98.10	97.70	98.10					

MUNITIONS STOCKS

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Monday. Bid.		Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Monday. Bid.
Aetna pf	50½	53	47	Colt's Arms	60	63	60
American Brass	240	240	239	Du Pont	264	267	263
Atlas Powder	170	174	170	Hercules	248	250	245
Do pf	94½	96	94½	Do pf	112	114	112
Babcock & Wilcox	111	111	111	Niles-Bem't-Pond	127	130	129
Bliss	360	420	360	Scovill Mfg	450	470	450
Do pf	..	78	..	Winchester Arms	700	850	700
Can. Found's F.	140	160	140				

CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE

Under the leadership of United States Steel common and Baldwin Locomotive the market on the Consolidated Stock Exchange closed strong. Generally the market was improving throughout the day. The "war stocks" displayed particular firmness in the dealings. Commission house business was on a good scale and included a broad turnover of odd lots.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
350	Alaska Gold.	2	1⅞	2	20	Int. Nickel.	27⅛	27⅛	27⅛
190	Allis-Chalm.	27⅛	26¼	27⅛	90	Max. 2d pf.	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞
350	Am. B. Sug.	82⅜	82	82½	980	Max. Petrol.	93⅞	92⅛	93⅝
300	Am. Can.	41½	40⅝	41½	110	Miami Cop.	31⅝	31⅛	31⅛
10	Am. C. & F.	73½	73½	73½	90	Midvale Steel	45⅛	45	45⅛
170	Am. H. & L.	14	13⅞	14	250	Nat. E. & S.	53⅜	52⅛	53
10	Do pf.	63½	63½	63½	40	N. Y. Cent.	71⅜	71⅜	71⅜
100	Am. Linseed	32⅞	32⅝	32⅝	90	Ohio C. Gas.	39⅛	39	39
150	Am. Loco.	66¼	65⅝	66¼	10	Pac. Mail.	29	29	29
250	Am. S. & R.	82⅜	81⅛	82⅜	300	Pitts. Coal.	58⅛	57⅜	57⅛
990	Am. Su. Tob.	95	91	95	10	Pres.St'l Car	60⅛	60⅛	60⅛
10	Am. Sugar	107⅝	107⅝	107⅝	20	Ray Copper.	23⅜	23⅜	23⅜
650	Anac. Cop.	64⅜	63½	64⅜	780	Reading	77⅛	75⅜	77⅛
10	A.,T.& S.F.	85⅝	85⅝	85⅝	50	Rep. I. & S.	78⅜	78⅜	78⅜
70	A.,G.& W.I.	114½	113¼	113⅜	340	So. Pacific.	87⅝	86	87⅝
4,850	Bald. Loco.	78⅜	73⅞	78⅜	600	Studebaker.	51⅛	49⅝	50⅝
50	Balt. & Ohio	52⅜	52⅜	52⅜	20	Tenn. Cop.	17⅛	17	17⅛
3,250	Beth. St'l B.	82	80⅜	81⅝	320	Tob. Prod.	55⅛	54⅛	55⅛
10	B'klyn R. T.	39⅜	39⅜	39⅜	540	Union Pac.	122⅜	120⅝	122⅛
560	Cent.Leather	71⅝	70⅝	70⅝	95	Un. Cig. St.	95⅛	94⅛	95⅛
50	Ches. & Ohio	55⅛	54⅝	55⅛	150	U. S. Ind. A.	123⅛	121⅞	122⅜
900	C.,M.& St.P.	40⅛	38⅛	40⅛	19,260	U. S. Steel.	97½	95⅞	97½
80	C.,R.I.& P.	21	20⅞	20⅞	270	Utah Copper	83⅜	82⅜	83⅜
10	Chile Copper	16¼	16¼	16¼	20	Westing. El.	42¼	42¼	42¼
150	Col. F. & I.	39⅝	39¼	39⅝	280	Willys-Over.	18⅞	18½	18½
230	Corn Prod.	33⅞	33⅛	33⅞		BONDS.			
1,030	Crucible St'l	65	62⅞	64¾	$1,750	Liberty 3½s.	98.00	97.96	97.96
870	CubaCaneSu.	33⅜	32⅜	33¼	1,750	Do 1st 4s.	97.30	97.20	97.20
130	Dist. Secur.	39⅜	39⅜	39⅜	4,250	Do 2d 4s.	96.82	96.74	96.78
950	Gen. Motors.	121⅞	116⅞	121⅞		MINING STOCKS.			
210	Inspir. Cop.	46⅛	45⅜	46⅛	500	Cashboy	.11	.11	.11
990	Int. Mer. M.	30	29⅛	29⅞	1,000	Gt. Bend.	.07	.07	.07
1,220	Do pf.	99⅜	97⅝	99⅜	200	Union Con.	1.00	1.00	1.00

CURB TRANSACTIONS

INDUSTRIALS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
10,000	‡AetnaExplo.	9⅝	8⅞	8⅞	4,000	‡MaximMuni.	11-16	⅝	11-16
550	‡ Do pf	*52	50	52	600	P'riessT.&M.	18	17½	17½
1,000	Br.-Am.Tob., coupon	17½	17¼	17¼	8,300	Smith M.Tr.	1⅞	1⅝	1⅞
5,000	Chev. Motor.	123	115	121	200	‡Std. Motors	12½	12	12½
1,900	‡Cuprite Sul.	*1⅞	1⅜	1⅜	500	Submar.Boat v. t. ctfs.	12⅝	12¼	12⅝
500	Curtiss Aero.	37½	36⅜	36⅜	1,000	TriangleFilm v. t. ctfs.	11-16	⅝	⅝
3,800	‡Elec. Gun.	5-16	¼	¼	6,000	‡Un. Mots.	27⅛	26⅝	27⅛
510	Em'sonPhon.	3⅞	3⅝	3⅞	648	U. Prof.Shar.	⅝	½	½
30	Holly Sugar.	40	40	40	1,700	U. S. SS. Co.	5⅛	5	5⅛
700	Hulb'tMotors	20	18	20	500	‡Victory Gun	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
100	‡Int. Trading	⅝	⅝	⅝	2,000	‡Wr.-M. Air.	8⅝	8½	8½
50	‡S. S. Kresge	78	78	78					
450	Marco.of Am.	3½	3½	3½					

STANDARD OIL SUBSIDIARIES.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
1,850	Ang.-Am. Oil	*13¼	12⅝	12½	10	So. Pa. Oil	290	290	290
4,200	Do rights.	2⅝	2⅛	2½	50	St.O.of N.J.	548	548	548
10	Indiana P.L.	95	95	95					

MISCELLANEOUS OIL STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
9,700	†‡Am.Ven.O.	15	14	15	500	‡M. Wells P.	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
2,500	‡Barn.O.& G.	1 1-16	1	1 1-16	1,200	‡N. Y.-Okla.	⅝	⅝	⅝
10,000	†‡Bos.-Wyo.	23	*22	23	22,500	†‡N. W. Oil.	81	69	80
1,500	‡Cos. & Co.	8¼	7⅞	8	15,000	†‡Okla. Oil.	4¼	4	4
700	‡Crown Oil.	13-16	13-16	13-16	700	Okla. P. & R.	7¼	7⅛	7¼
1,000	‡Dixie Gas.	10⅜	10¼	10¼	2,500	Okmul.P.&R.	4⅞	4⅝	4⅝
1,000	‡Elk B. Pet.	6⅞	6⅜	6⅜	1,500	†‡Over. Pet.	23	23	23
3,100	‡Elk.O.& G., (a pros.)	5-32	⅛	5-32	1,700	‡Pa.-Ky. Oil.	5⅝	5⅛	5⅝
2,900	‡Esmer. Oil.	3-16	⅛	3-16	100	‡Pa.-Wyo.O.	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
3,200	‡Federal Oil	3⅜	3⅛	3⅜	5,000	†‡Queen Oil.	31	27	28
1,800	‡Glenrock Oil	3⅞	3⅝	3⅝	300	‡R.R.O.& G.	15-16	15-16	15-16
600	‡Han.O.& R.	5½	5¼	5½	20,000	‡Rice Oil	⅜	¼	⅜
1,500	‡Houston Oil	45½	42½	45½	1,000	‡Sap.O.& R.	8⅝	8½	8½
500	‡Inter. Pet.	13	12⅝	12⅝	1,200	Seq. O. & R.	13-16	¾	13-16
1,500	‡Isl'd O. & T.	4	3⅞	4	300	‡Sincl. Gulf.	20	19⅝	19⅝
8,000	Kenova Oil, (a pros.)	7-32	3-16	7-32	500	‡Somer. Oil.	7-16	7-16	7-16
10,000	Met. Petrol.	⅞	¾	13-16	1,500	‡Stanton Oil	1⅛	1 1-16	1⅛
6,000	†‡Midw. Oil.	110	107	108	200	‡Un.W.O.new	1⅝	1½	1½
200	‡Midw. Ref.	110	109	110	613	‡Victoria Oil, new stock.	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝

MINING STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
600	A.-B. Col. M	7-16	⅜	⅜	1,100	La. Con	½	½	½
2,500	†‡Atlanta	12	11	12	500	Magma Cop.	40	38	38½
1,100	‡A. Silver M	2⅞	2⅝	2¾	2,000	†‡MarshMin.	5	4	5
8,500	B. L. C. Co.	1⅜	1¼	1⅜	100	Mason Val.	5½	5½	5½
2,000	†‡Booth	4½	4½	4½	1,000	‡Monst.Chief	3-32	1-16	3-32
45,000	†Bos. & Mon	65	62	64	2,500	†‡Moth. Lode	29	28½	29
1,000	‡Brad. C. M.	⅝	7-16	½	11,500	†‡Nat. Leas.	6	5	6
5,000	Butte Det't.	⅝	9-16	⅝	4,000	†‡Nat.Z.& L.	33	30	30
3,700	†‡Caledonia.	50	48	49	500	†‡Nev. Ophir	18	18	18
12,000	‡Cal. & Jer.	1 3-16	1 3-16	1 3-16	3,500	†‡Nev. Rand	14	13	13
100	Canada Cop.	2 1-16	2 1-16	2 1-16	800	‡NewCornel.	16¾	16½	16¾
8,500	†Cashboy	12	10½	10½	100	Nipissing	8½	8½	8½
320	‡Coco R. M.	1¾	1¾	1¾	1,200	Nixon Nev.	1⅛	1	1 1-16
500	Con. Ariz. S.	2 1-16	2	2	500	‡Onondaga, (a pros.)	2½	2½	2½
700	Con. Cop. M.	6	5¾	5¾	800	†‡Pole Star.	25	24½	24½
1,000	‡Con.-Home.	22	22	22	1,300	Portl'd Con.	32	31	32
200	‡Copper Val.	⅞	⅞	⅞	2,000	†Provincial.	51	50	51
800	Cresson C. G	5⅛	*5	*5	800	‡Rawley	2¼	2⅛	2¼
5,100	‡Emma Con.	5-16	¼	5-16	600	‡RayHercules	4½	4⅜	4⅜
1,800	‡E. C. M. Co	1	⅞	1	2,600	‡RedWarrior	⅝	⅝	⅝
200	†‡Fort. Con.	39	39	39	2,000	†‡Rex Con.	12	11½	11½
475	‡Gibson Cop.	2	2	2	2,300	Sil.Kg.ofAriz.	5-16	9-32	5-16
1,000	†Goldf'd Con	13-16	13-16	13-16	3,875	†‡Sil. Plume con	56	54	56
1,700	†Goldf'd M.	4½	4	4½	300	Std.Sil.-Lead	13-16	13-16	13-16
3,500	†‡Gt. Bend.	7	5½	7	1,200	†Success	10	9½	10
500	‡Green M.M.	⅝	⅝	11-16	200	Tono. Ext.	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
250	Hecla Min'g	4	3 15-16	4	450	Tri-Bullion.	7-16	⅜	7-16
5,000	†‡Int. Mines.	20	19	20	1,425	Unit. East'n.	5⅛	5	5
4,800	‡J. Verde, (a pros.)	13-16	11-16	¾	600	Unity Gold.	5	4⅞	5
2,500	†‡Jim Butler	64	62	64	2,500	White Caps.	13-16	9-16	9-16
1,500	†Jumbo Ext.	16	15	16	1,000	†WilbertMin.	9	9	9
5,100	Lamp. Silver	1⅛	1	1⅛	1,500	Yukon G. M.	1⅝	1¼	1¼
3,500	†‡Lone S. C.	5	4½	4½					

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$15,000	‡Am.T.&T.1-yr. 6s, w.i.	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛	$16,000	‡Rus. Govt. new 5½s	38	35	36
17,000	‡Can.Gov.5s	95¾	95⅝	95¾	9,000	‡Rus. Govt. 6½s	43	40½	40½
25,000	‡Can.Pac.6s	98½	98⅜	98⅜	10,000	‡South. Ry. 5% notes	97⅞	97¼	97¼
10,000	‡Gen. El. 6s notes, '20	100⅝	100¼	100¼	2,000	‡W'houseEl. 1-yr.6s,w.i.	98⅜	98⅜	98⅜
10,000	‡Phila.Elec. 6s, w. i.	98	97 13-16	97⅞					

*Odd lot. †Sell cents per share. ‡Unlisted.

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CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Bid and asked quotations of stocks not traded in compared with those of the previous day:

INDUSTRIALS.

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Monday. Bid.	Monday. Ask.
Am.-Brit.Mfg.	3	7	3	7
Do pf	15	20	15	20
Am. Tin & T.	⅝	⅞	⅝	⅞
Am. W. P.	2½	3	2½	3
Atlantic Fruit	11	12	11	12
Blumenthal	90	102½	90	102½
Do pf	90	95	90	95
B.-Am. T. reg	16¼	18	16¼	18
Butter.-Jud	38	43	38	43
Can. Car & F.	17	20	17	20
Do pf	50	52	50	52
Can. Nat. G.	⅛	⅝	⅛	⅝
Carbon Steel	78	82	78	82
Carwen Steel	8	9	8	9
Charcoal Iron of Am. pf.	6	7½	6	7½
Charcoal Iron	8⅝	8⅞	8⅝	8⅞
Chal. Motors	5	6	5	6
Do pf	38	40	38	40
Corp of Fla.	7½	8	7½	8
Cramp Ship	84	87	84	87
Curtiss A. pf.	60	75	60	75
Everett H'y	20	21	20	21
Free. Texas	40	42	40	42
Grant M. Car	2	4	2	4
Havana Tob.	1⅝	1⅞	1⅝	1⅞
Hav. Tob. pf.	3	5	3	5
Hall Signal	5	7	5	7
Do pf	17	18	17	18
Holly S. pf.	94	98	94	98
Hupp Motor	2⅝	2⅞	2⅝	2⅞
Int'cont. Rub.	9	11	9	11
Int. Lube Ch.	1	3	1	3
Int. Mangan.	8½	9	8½	9
Int. Motors	13	17	13	17
Do 2d pf.	15	17	15	17
Key. T. & R.	16¼	16¾	16¼	16¾
Kresge pf.	95	105	95	105
Lake Torpedo Boat 1st pf.	3	6	3	6
L. Val. C. S.	77	82	77	82

INDUSTRIALS. Continued.

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Monday. Bid.	Monday. Ask.
Lima Loco.	44	50	44	50
Lukens Steel.	38	43	38	43
Do 1st pf.	101	103	101	103
Man. Transit.	7-16	9-16	7-16	9-16
Marlin Arms.	80	81	80	81
Nash Motors.	75	85	75	85
Nat. Motors	5	10	5	10
N. A. P. & P.	2⅝	2⅞	2⅝	2⅞
N. Y. Ship.	38	41	38	41
N. Y. Trans.	14	15	14	15
Perf. T. & R.	47	49	47	49
Pocahontas-Logan Coal.	2½	3¼	2½	3¼
Poole E. & M.	50	60	50	60
Prud. Pict.	5⅝	6	5⅝	6
Pyrene Mfg.	10⅝	10⅞	10⅝	10⅞
Rep. Truck.	38	43	38	43
Smith (A. O.)	15	20	15	20
Do pf	85	90	85	90
St. Jo. Lead.	16½	16¾	16½	16¾
St.L.,R.M.&P.	35	38	35	38
Todd Ship.	75	78	75	78
U. S. Lt. & H.	1⅛	1¼	1⅛	1¼
U.S.L.& H.pf.	1⅞	2¼	1⅞	2¼
World Film	⅜	½	⅜	½
Wright-M. pf.	48	52	48	52
OIL STOCKS.				
Cum. P. & R.	¾	1	¾	1
Duthie Oil, (a pros.)	.53	.55	.53	.55
Houston Oil.	45¼	45⅝	41½	44
Merritt Oil	21	21¼	21	21¼
Okla. Oil pf.	9	10	9	10
MINING STOCKS.				
Butte-N. Y.	⅛	1	⅛	1
Iron Blossom.	7-16	½	7-16	½
Jer.-Pres. C.	2	2¼	2	2¼
La Rose Con.	5-16	⅜	5-16	⅜
BOND.				
Pierce Oil 6s.	74	77	74	77

STANDARD OIL STOCKS

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Monday. Bid.		Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Monday. Bid.
Anglo-Am. Oil	12¼	12¾	12½	Prairie Oil & Gas	475	485	478
Atlantic Refining	900	920	900	Prairie Pipe Line	270	275	270
Borne-Scrymser	440	460	440	Solar Refining	295	305	295
Buckeye Pipe Line	92	96	93	Southern Pipe L.	182	187	182
Chesebrough Mfg.	315	340	315	South. Penn. Oil	285	295	285
Colonial Oil	10	40	10	S. W. Penn	95	100	95
Continental Oil	470	490	470	Stand. Oil of Cal.	228	232	228
Crescent Pipe Line	32	34	32	Stand. Oil of Ind.	645	655	645
Cumberland P. L.	145	155	145	Stand. Oil of Kan.	445	465	445
Eureka Pipe Line	190	200	190	Stand. Oil of Ky.	320	330	320
Galena Signal Oil	128	*133	130	Stand. Oil of Neb.	475	500	475
Galena Sig. Oil pf.	118	*122	118	Stand. Oil of N. J.	545	550	548
Illinois Pipe Line	185	195	185	Stand. Oil of N. Y.	273	278	273
Indiana Pipe Line	95	98	94	Stand. Oil of Ohio	410	430	410
Int. Pet. Co., Ltd.	12¾	13¼	13	Swan & Finch	95	105	95
National Transit	210	220	210	Union Tank	86	90	86
N. Y. Transit	13	14	13	Vacuum Oil	345	355	345
Northern Pipe L.	104	107	104	Washington Oil	26	30	26
Ohio Oil	338	343	338				
Penn.-Mex. Fuel Co	43	47	43				

*Ex dividend.

TOBACCO STOCKS

Closing quotations of stocks not quoted elsewhere:

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Monday. Bid.		Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Monday. Bid.
American Cigar	95	100	90	MacAndrews & F.	175	190	175
Do pf	88	90	85	Do pf	93	100	93
Conley Foil	200	250	200	P. R.-Am. Tob.	150	160	160
J. S. Young	130	150	130	R. J. Reynolds	390	430	390
Do pf	100	106	100	Do pf	101	104	100

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

TUESDAY, FEB. 26.

With name and address of purchaser and attorney. When attorney's name is omitted address party of the second part.

Manhattan.

AVENUE C, 200, s e s, 26.9 ft n of 12th St, 25x62.6; William Marlenhoff to Meyer C. Jacobs, 570 West 156th St, mtg $8,500, May 1, 1917; address, M. C. Jacobs, 654 West 161st St....$1

CHRYSTIE ST, 157, w s, 75.9 ft n of Delancey St, 24x125.1x25x126.6; also including the half of lot on which stands the middle house of the three houses in the rear of 157 and 159 Chrystie St, with half of said house, foreclosure Feb. 7, 1918; Joseph V. Mitchell, referee, to Sutton Holding Co., 320 Broadway, subject to taxes, &c., and unpaid tax lien sales of $3,435.22, Feb. 26; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$13,600

GREENWICH AV, 18-20, n e c of 10th St, (125 West,) 37.4x irregular x 53.11; Horatio B. Cushman to Mary L., his wife, Yonkers, N. Y., Feb. 21; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$1

MADISON AV, 2,094, w s, 24.11 ft s of 132d St, 25x93; Michael Haas to Elinor M. Koch, 1,457 Lexington Av, mtg $23,000, all liens, Feb. 25; attorneys, Wilson, B. & W., 48 Wall St....$1

MADISON ST, 95, n s, 288.5 ft w of Market St, 25x100; Samuel Ashman to Maxar Realty Corporation, 920 Avenue St. John, Bronx, mtg $25,000, all liens, Feb. 21; attorney, Hyman I. Barnett, 132 Nassau St....$100

MADISON ST, 173, n s, 25x100; Samuel Ashman to Maxar Realty Corporation, 920 Avenue St. John, Bronx, mtg $21,000, Feb. 21; attorney, Hyman I. Barnett, 132 Nassau St. $100

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, w s, 95 ft n of centre line of 159th St, if extended, and 130.8 ft n on curved line of Drive from centre line of 159th St, 24.9x59.11x20.5x70.3; Hobart Realties Corporation to Otto R. Hartmann, 440 Riverside Drive; attorney, William R. McCarthy, 42 Broadway....$1

RIVINGTON ST, n s, 75.3 ft w of Forsyth St, 25x100; George T. Soper to Ada L. Simis, Far Rockaway, mtg $32,113, May 8, 1917; address, William S. Pettit, Far Rockaway....$1

SAME PROPERTY; Ada L. Simis to M. Emma Dean, 133 West 79th St, mtg $32,113; address, same....$1

13TH ST, 332 to 336 East, s s, 264 ft w of 1st Av, 46x103.3; Sam Etlinger to Isidore Essenfeld, 141 West 110th St, ½ part, mtg $69,000, a. t., Feb. 25; attorney, Geza Eichhorn, 309 Broadway....$1

19TH ST, s s, 160 ft w of 2d Av, 20x84; Daniel C. Sands, trustee, to Wm. H. von Der Horst, 229 East 58th St, one-half part, a. t., all liens; attorney, W. M. Powell, 7 Wall St....$4,500

SAME PROPERTY; Daniel C. and Edith K. Sands to same, one-half part, a. t., b. and s., c. a. g., all liens; attorney, same....$1

42D ST, n s, 80 ft w of 6th Av, 20x100.5, except strip 1 inch wide n of a line 75.4 ft n of 42d St, to which all title is conveyed; Michael J. Gilhuly et al. to Caggie Realty Co., 107 West 42d St, all liens, Feb. 25; attorney, Irving Katz, 15 Wall St....$1

54TH ST, s s, 90 ft w of Lexington Av, 25x100.5; W. A. Irving et al, executors, to John H. Naughton, 611 Lexington Av, one-third part, Feb. 13; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway....$9,000

SAME PROPERTY; Ruth S. Ranney, et al, same to same, two-thirds part, Feb. 20; attorney, same....$1

96TH ST, 226 East, s s, 369 ft e of 3d Av, 32x108.8, foreclosure Jan. 24, 1918; N. T. Phillips, referee, to George B. Bernheim, trustee, 148 West 86th St; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway. $15,000

111TH ST, n s, 63.6 ft w of Park Av, 38.3x100.11; The 26 West 136th Street Corporation to the Loretta Corporation, all liens, Oct. 30, 1917; attorney, Louis H. Strouse, 51 John St....$1

116TH ST, 309 West, n s, 150 ft w of 8th Av, 25x100.11; Le Roy Ball to Samuel Bogart, Plainfield, N. J., mtg $20,000, Jan. 10; attorney, Clarence J. Hand, 50 Broad St....$1

116TH ST, 311 West, n s, 175 ft w of 8th Av, 25x100.11; same to same, mtg $20,000, Jan. 10; attorney, same....$1

120TH ST, 120 West, s s, 254 ft w of Lenox Av, 19x100.11; Lawmor Improvement Co. to Rose Frueht, 62 West 113th St, mtg $8,500, all liens, Feb. 19; attorney, Samuel Kahan, 63 Park Row....$100

Bronx.

FINDLAY AV, 1,125, w s, 76x100; Tully Building Co., Inc., to Chas. H. Muller, 111 28th St., Newport News, Va., Feb. 23; attorney, Chas. H. Muller, 111 28th St., Newport News, Va....$100

FREEMAN ST, 848, s s, 24x75; Otto Nauss to Charles Scheiblich, 848 Freeman St, mtg $5,000, Feb. 25; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$100

HUGHES AV, 2,509, w s, 25x87.6; Nicoletta Criscuolo to Onofrio Acampara, 231 East 108th St, mtg $9,000, Dec. 30, 1909; attorney, A. Ruggiero, 225 East 115th St....$100

SAME PROPERTY; Onofrio Acampara to Michele Acampara and another, 231 East 108th St, Oct. 15, 1913; attorney, same..$100

LONGWOOD AV, 1,015-23, n e corner of Fox St, 210 to Southern Boulevard x110; Fortis Realty Co., Inc., to Marsilon Realty Corp., 185 Broadway, mtg $169,500, Jan. 15; attorney, N. Y. Title and Mortgage Co., 135 Broadway....$100

UNION AV, 1,223, w s, 22x132.8; Julius Dvorkin to Max Dvorkin, 1,929 2d Av, mtg $8,000, Feb. 20; attorney, N. Abenkoff, 93 Nassau St....$100

WHITLOCK AV, e s, 225 ft n of Tiffany St, 25x126.11; Kate A. Wasserscheid to Frederick Johnson, at Oyster Bay, L. I., and ano, trustees, mtg $6,000, Feb. 8; attorneys, Ferris & S., 165 Broadway....$1

135TH ST, n s, 127.4 ft e of Brook Av, 27x100; Mary Newman to Louis Newman, 753 Tinton Av, and another, 1-3 part, mtg $18,000, June 15, 1914; attorney, Anton Siegal, 4 Barclay St....$2,000

137TH ST, 374 East, 25x100; Henry K. Davis, Referee, to Julia P. Crist, at Shippan, Stamford, Conn., Feb. 16; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway, $9,000

176TH ST, n e corner of West Farms Road, runs n e 105.5x e 5.3x n e 31.10x s e 63.3x s w 145.2x n w 54.11; William B. Roulstone, referee, to Chandler Smith, trustee, 237 St. Mark's Place, New Brighton, S. I., Feb. 18; attorneys, Reeves & T., 165 Broadway.$5,000

201ST ST, n s, 21.10 ft w of Bainbridge Av, runs n 96.7x n w 4x w 19x s 100x e 21; Mary A. Boyle to Christopher Joyce, 291 East 201st St, mtg $3,000, Feb. 26; attorney, Christopher Joyce, 291 East 201st St..$1

205TH ST, 310 East, s w s, 25.1x81.7; Josephine Scheinin to William H. Brown, 579 East 161st St, mtg $55,000, Feb. 25; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$100

RECORDED MORTGAGES.

With name and address of lender and lender's attorney. Interest is at 5 per cent. unless otherwise specified.

Manhattan.

AUDUBON AV, n w corner of 187th St, 189.9 to s s of 188th St x75, Feb. 21; Duncan M. Stewart & Co. to Jacob Rosenthal, 340 West 86th St, due Sept. 15, 1918, 6 p. c.; attorneys, Marks & Marks, 63 Park Row....$10,500

BROADWAY, 5,221 to 5,227, n w s, 263 ft s w of 228th St, 100x100, Feb. 19; Arthur Weisbeck, 601 West 113th St., et al., to Emma C. Mastin, 111 West 70th St, 3 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, New York Title and Mortgage Co., 135 Broadway....$25,000

CHRYSTIE ST, 157, w s, 75.9 ft n of Delancey St, 24x125.10x25x126.6, and including half of lot on which the middle house of three houses in rear stands; Sutton Holding Co. to Henry Stemme, 45 West 96th St, 3 years; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$6,000

SAME PROPERTY, Feb. 23; same to Ernest Plath, 39 7th St, 3 years, prior mtg $6,000; attorneys, Chedsey & Rosenblum, 320 Broadway....$7,600

RIVINGTON ST, n s, 75.3 ft w of Forsyth St, 25x100, collateral to secure mtg of $11,712 on property at corner of Bayview and Healy Avs, Far Rockaway, Borough of Queens, May 8, 1917; Ada L. Simis to George T. Soper, Cedarhurst, L. I., demand, 6 p. c.; address, William S. Pettit, Far Rockaway....$9,720

SAME PROPERTY, May 8, 1917; same to the Bank of Lawrence, Lawrence, L. I., demand, 6 p. c., prior mtg $23,720; address, same....$8,393

SAME PROPERTY and date; same to James S. Darcy, 246 Putnam Av, Brooklyn, and William S. Pettit, Inwood, L. I., demand, 6 p. c.; address, same....$2,000

11TH ST, 143 West, n s, 289.3 ft e of 7th Av, 25.5x103.3, Feb. 6; Margaretha C. Cordes to Theo. C. Riehl, Jr., 116 10th Av, Belmar, N. J., due Feb. 1, 1920, 6 p. c. $2,000

19TH ST, s s, 160 ft w of 2d Av, 20x84, Feb. 2; William H. Von Der Horst to Daniel C. Sands, at Valhalla, N. Y., individually and as trustee, due Feb. 25, 1923; attorney, W. M. Powell, 7 Wall St....$6,300

54TH ST, s s, 90 ft w of Lexington Av, 25x100.5, Feb. 26; John H. Naughton to William H. Starbuck, 59 Livingston St, Brooklyn, due Nov. 1, 1922, prior mtg $8,500; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway....$8,500

SAME PROPERTY, Feb. 26; same to Ruth S. Ranney, 2 East 45th St, due Nov. 1, 1922, equal lien with above mtg for $8,500; attorney same....—

147TH ST, 612 West, s s, 100.6 ft w of Broadway, Feb. 25; Hannah M. Wallace to Fannie M. and Charles F. Porter, 194 Elms St, New Rochelle, N. Y., executors, &c, of David F. Porter, due and interest as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$5,500

Bronx.

BATHGATE AV, w s, 87.6 ft n of 183d St, 18.3x64.5; Maria L Connelly to Bronx Security and Brokerage Co., 258 East 138th St, prior mtg $2,200, Feb. 25, installments, 6 p. c., (given to correct 172 cp. 343); attorney, Isaac Levison, 258 East 138th St. $100

LONGWOOD AV, 1,015-23, n e corner of Fox St, 210 ft to Southern Blvd x 110; Marsilon Realty Corp. to Fortis Realty Co., Inc., 46 Cedar St, prior mtg $169,500, Jan. 15, 3 years; attorney, Elkus, V. G. & P., 111 Broadway....$13,000

LOT 196, map Century Investing Co.; Ella F. Bradley to Kath MacKowan, 213 East 71st St, Feb. 25, 3 years, 5½ p. c.; attorney, Kath MacKowan, 213 East 71st St....$3,500

TREMONT AV, n s, 129.9 ft w of Daly Av, 33.3x143; Patrick F. Kerr to Bronx Security and Brokerage Co., 258 East 138th St, Feb. 19, installments, 6 p. c.; attorney, Isaac Levison, 258 East 138th St....$365

UNION AV, 1,102, e s, 40x100; Ida H. Neuslage to Ella G. Schmid, 108 Kenilworth Place, Brooklyn, prior mtg $35,500, Feb. 16, demand; attorneys, Goldman, W. & K., 120 Broadway....$7,790

UNION AV, 1,106, e s, 40x100; same to same, prior mtg $35,500, Feb. 16, demand; same attorney....$8,000

137TH ST, s s, 156.6 ft w of Willis Av, 25x100; Julia P. Crist to Herman Bellmer, 2,678 Valentine Av, Feb. 16, 3 years, 5½ p. c.; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$6,000

ASSIGNMENTS OF MORTGAGES.

Manhattan.

CONVENT AV, 470, s w corner of 151st St, mtg $95,000; Land Estates to New York Life Insurance Co.; attorney, New York Title and Mortgage Co., 135 Broadway.$100

1ST AV, 1,266-68, mtg $17,500; 1st Av, 1,278-80, mtg $10,000; Theresa Schlesinger to Samuel M. Karon, 420 Riverside Drive; attorney, Jacob Gordon, 66 Broadway, two assignments, each....$1

1ST AV, 2,319, collateral for note, mtg $17,000; New York Title and Mortgage Co. to Philo C. Blaisdell, 282 Macon St, Brooklyn; address, 135 Broadway, mtg of $5,000

8TH AV, 2,075, mtg $32,000; Nathaniel B. Hayt, trustee, will of Susie H. Dibble, to N. B. Hayt, 152 South 1st Av, Mt. Vernon, N. Y., as trustee, will of Mabel E. D. Taylor; attorney, William F. Ward, 156 Broadway....$31,250

10TH AV, s e corner of 27th St, mtg $4,000, filed and satisfied Feb. 25, 1918; George H. Werfelman to Lucy Spiro, Danbury, Conn.; attorney, Albert J. Appell, 51 Chambers St....$1

111TH ST, 22 East; North River Savings Bank to James Foley, 315 Broome St; attorneys, Weekes Bros., 52 William St.$2,000

Bronx.

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD, e s, 325 ft n of Barretto, 75x100; Annie Gotthelf to Carrie Lazar, 724 Beck St; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway....$1

RECORDED LEASES.

With name and address of lessee.

Manhattan.

AVENUE A, 9, store and basement; Moses Schwartz to Simon Reich, 61 Avenue B, 5 years from May 1, 1918; attorney, Jacob Marx, 10 Wall St....$2,000

BROADWAY, 384-386, e s, 41x175, to Cortlandt Alley, all, with option of purchase $165,000; H. Orme Wilson et al, exrs., to Schulte Realty Co., 63 Park Row, 5 years from May 1, 1917; attorney, I. I. Rosenbaum, 386 Broadway....$11,500

CANAL ST, 203, all except store and basement on Mulberry St and part of second floor; Louis Rubenstein to Jacob Rabinovich, 119 Mulberry St, 5 years from May 1, 1918; address, 203 Canal St....$3,600

CORTLANDT ST, 31, all; Cleaveland F. Benton to Childs Co., 200 5th Av, 5 years from May 1, 1918....$10,000

7TH AV, n w corner of 145th St, store and basement; Isidor Weisbader to John J. Reilly, 201 West 145th St, extension of lease 5 years from May 1, 1917; address, Fidelio Brewing Co., 501 1st Av........
Same terms as lease of April 25, 1912

8TH AV, 472, store and basement; Justin M. Brophy et al to Abr. Sternlieb and ano, 340 East 15th St, 5 years and 9 months from Jan. 1, 1917; attorney, Jos. Rubin, 309 Broadway....$2,450

Bronx.

BURNSIDE AV, 283 East, store and cellar; Julia V. Schmitt to Louis A. Drenckhahn, 283 East Burnside Av, 3 years from May 1, 1917; attorney, John T. Booth, 271 Broadway....$1,320

SATISFIED MECHANICS' LIENS.

Manhattan.

GREENE ST., 42 to 50; Candee, Smith & Howland Co. against Charles Lane et al., Jan. 4, 1918....$270.70

64TH ST., n s, 575 ft w of Central Park West, and Broadway, Nos. 1920 to 1932; General Supply and Construction Co. against Robert Goelet et al.; June 20, 1908, by bond $114,269.42

SAME PROPERTY; Geo. H. Storm against same; June 13, 1908, by bond....$1,869.91

SAME PROPERTY; Unit Concrete Steel Frame Co. against same; June 30, 1908, by bond....$25,583.70

SAME PROPERTY; Thomas J. Brooks against same; April 20, 1908, by bond.... $604.76

SAME PROPERTY; same against same; April 20, 1908, by bond....$5,652.60

SAME PROPERTY; Pluckham & Co. against same; March 27, 1908, by bond....$1,271.97

MECHANICS' LIENS.

Manhattan.

LEXINGTON AV, 1084 to 1902; E. & J. Marrin Co. against German Hospital and Dispensary in the City of N. Y., owner; Andrew A. Smith, contractor....$830

OLD BROADWAY, n e corner 130th St; Spencer Heater Co. against Manhattanville Garage, Inc., owner; Patrick F. Kenny, contractor....$156

33D ST., 424 to 438 West; Spray Whitewashing Co. against Joseph Quinet, owner; Edw. L. Larkin, contractor....$30

33D ST, 230 West; Francis Callaghan against Samuel Rouse, owner; Neuway Renting Co., contractor....$161

33D ST, 233 West; Federal Parquetry Mfg. Co. against Gramont Holding Co., owner; G. T. Freeman, contractor....$114

128TH ST, 305 and 307 West; Standard Building Supply Co., Inc., against George Heinlein, owner; Plaza Contracting Co., Inc., contractor....$380

Bronx.

JACKSON AV, 829; William Richman against Newport Holding Co., Inc., owner; Samuel Cowen, contractor....$276

LIS PENDENS.

Manhattan.

BROOME ST, 458; Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank against Lillian G. DeWitt et al., foreclosure of mtg; attorneys, R. & E. J. O'Gorman.

HAVEN AV, e s, 103.4 ft s of 170th St, 25.10x134.2; Commonwealth Savings Bank of New York City against Aldus Construction Co., Inc., et al., foreclosure of mtg; attorney, G. H. Hyde.

1ST AV, 307; Excelsior Savings Bank of the City of New York against Simon Hatch et al., foreclosure of mtg; attorney, H. Swain.

18TH ST, 210 ft e of 7th Av, 20x90.6; and 18th St, n s, 249 ft e of 7th Av, 19x90.6; Adolph D. Bendheim against District Realty Co. et al., foreclosure of mtg; attorneys, Goldsmith, Cohen, Cole & Weiss.

19TH ST, 441 West; Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank against Prudential Real Estate Corp. et al.; foreclosure of mtg; attorneys, R. & E. J. O'Gorman.

81ST ST, 39 East; Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York against Carlisle Norwood et al., foreclosure of mtg; attorney, F. L. Allen.

79TH ST, s s, 372 ft w of Columbus Av, 78x102.2; Jacob Strauss against Clarence Payne et al., foreclosure of mtg; attorney, J. A. Wolf.

95TH ST, 210 East; Abraham C. Quackenbush against Ruth Hosinsky et al., foreclosure of mtg; attorney, W. R. Adams.

101ST ST, 313 East; John A. Brann, trustee, against Annie M. Christie et al., foreclosure of mtg; attorney, J. Fennelly.

119TH ST, 310 West; Excelsior Savings Bank of the City of New York against Simon Hatch et al., foreclosure of mtg; attorney, H. Swain.

120TH ST, s s, 196.5 ft w of Lenox Av, 17.10x99.11; Equitable Life Assurance Society of the U. S. against Casserly Assets Corp. et al., foreclosure of mtg; attorneys, Alexander & Green.

Bronx.

BROWN PLACE, e s, 25 ft n of 134th St, 25x100; Abbie E. Wille against Pearl Niles et al., foreclosure of mtg; attorneys, Clocke, Koch & Reidy.

PLOT 26, Lot 47 on Tax Map City of New York for 1912; George J. Puckhafer against Eastchester Development Co. et al., action to foreclose transfer of tax lien; attorney, G. A. Moses.

WHITE PLAINS ROAD, n e corner of 222d St, 74.5x80.3; Mary E. Hastings against Agnes A. Havens Esler et al., foreclosure of mtg; attorneys, McGuire, Horner & Smith.

RESULTS AT AUCTION.

By Henry Brady.

[illegible]0th St, 656 to 660 West, s s, 144.9 ft e of Riverside Drive, 66.8x100, six-story apartment house; Van Dyck Estate against Natwil Holding Co. et al.; Middlebrook & B., attorneys; due, $68,198.04; taxes, &c., $711.88; to Emil Reich, a party in interest, for $71,250.

Division St, 193, s s, 157.2 ft e of Jefferson St, 26.11x48.8x26.4x49.3, five-story tenement and stores; Addie Wortheimer against S. H. Sapiro et al; Guggenheimer, U. & M., attorneys; due, $15,615.91; taxes, &c., $852.81; to the plaintiff for $12,500.

By Joseph P. Day.

112th St, 24 West, s s, 358 ft w of 5th Av, 31x100.11, five-story tenement; Julius Horwitz against Charles Wersba et al.; A. I. Spiro, attorney; due, $3,919.33; taxes, &c., $439.85; prior mortgage, $20,000; to Charles E. Gremmels, for $25,100.

By James J. Donovan.

Grand Boulevard and Concourse, s w corner of 192d St, extending to Creston Av, 202.6x211.5x208.1x198.1, two-story frame dwelling, one-story frame stable, and vacant; G. W. Short against John B. Haskin Estates et al; Salter & S., attorneys; due, $12,610.70; taxes, &c., $1,074; prior mtgs aggregating $55,000; to the plaintiff for $69,000.

Kelly St, 1,013, w s, 100.5 ft s of 165th St, 25x100, six-story flat; S. B. Klee against Keilbert Construction Co. et al.; I. A. Rabinow, attorney; due, $4,344.05; taxes, &c., $350; to the plaintiff for $500.

Mohegan Av, 2,067, w s, 55.2 ft n of 179th St, 44x37, four-story flat; George Dalker against C. K. Realty Co. et al.; Pritchard & D., attorneys; due, $4,619.30; taxes, &c., $156; prior mtg $15,000; to the plaintiff for $16,000.

THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Alteration.

Items under $5,000 omitted.

112th St., 328 East, to a three-story loft; L. Cioffi, 314 East 112th St., owner; F. Savignano, 18 East 41st St., architect; cost, $10,000.

CELEBRATION IN JAPAN.
Finely executed photograph of Japanese Christians celebrating the fall of Jerusalem and the defeat of the Turks, in The New York Times Mid-Week Pictorial this week. 10 cents on all news stands—$5 a year by mail. Times Square, New York.—Advt.

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MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

KELLY-SPRINGFIELD TIRE CO.
NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of this Company will be held on March 12, 1918, at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Company, 15 Exchange Place, Jersey City, New Jersey, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors, receiving and acting upon the reports of the Officers, ratifying and approving the acts of the Officers, Directors, and Executive Committee, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

You will please take further notice that the Board of Directors has adopted a resolution to amend the Certificate of Incorporation so as to reduce the capital stock of this Company by reducing the Six Per Cent Cumulative First Preferred Stock to the extent of $248,900, divided into 2,489 shares, representing the number of shares which this Company has purchased for the Sinking Fund, in accordance with the terms of the Certificate of Incorporation, all of which have already been duly cancelled, and to eliminate the provision authorizing Seven Per Cent. Convertible Second Preferred Stock, as all of the Seven Per Cent. Convertible Second Preferred Stock which was issued by this Company has been surrendered to this Company for conversion into Common Stock of this Company, and the Board of Directors has called a meeting of Stockholders to take action thereon, said meeting to be held at the same time and place as the aforesaid Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

In accordance with the laws of the State of New Jersey no stock can be voted which has been transferred on the books of the Company within twenty days next preceding the date of this election.

FREDERICK A. SEAMAN, Secretary.
Dated February 27, 1918.

The B. F. Goodrich Company.

A special meeting of the stockholders of The B. F. Goodrich Company is hereby specially called, to be held at the office of the Corporation, No. 1,780 Broadway, in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, New York, on Wednesday, March 13, 1918, immediately after the stockholders' annual meeting, for the purpose of voting upon and authorizing a reduction of the authorized capital stock of said Company, in accordance with the certificate of incorporation, from $86,400,000.00 to $85,500,000.00, by reducing the authorized preferred capital stock from $26,400,000.00, consisting of 264,000 shares at $100 each, to $25,500,000.00, consisting of 255,000 shares at $100 each.

The transfer books will not be closed on account of the special meeting. Stockholders of record for ten days immediately preceding the meeting will be entitled to vote.

By order of the Board of Directors.
B. G. WORK, President.
F. C. VAN CLEEF, Secretary.
1,780 Broadway, New York City, February 23, 1918.

Lackawanna, Erie County, New York, February 15, 1918.
TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE LACKAWANNA STEEL COMPANY:

Please take notice that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Lackawanna Steel Company will be held at the office of the Company, in the City of Lackawanna, County of Erie, State of New York, on Wednesday, March 13, 1918, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing five Directors of the class whose current term expires March, 1918, to serve for the full term of three years thereafter, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

The Stock transfer books of the Company will be closed on February 21, 1918, at the close of business on that day and will be reopened on March 14, 1918, at 9 o'clock A. M.

By order of the Board.
E. A. S. CLARKE, President.
FRED F. GRAHAM, Secretary.

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Company.
NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of Liggett & Myers Tobacco Company, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the Home Office of the Company, No. 15 Exchange Place, Jersey City, N. J., at 11 o'clock A. M. on Monday, March 11, 1918.

No share of stock can be voted at this meeting which has been transferred within twenty days preceding the meeting.

The transfer books of the company will not be closed.

E. H. THURSTON, Secretary.
St. Louis, Mo., February 18, 1918.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS of the Hanover National Bank, held February 26, 1918, Mr. Elmer E. Whittaker, Cashier, resigned, owing to continued ill health. Mr. Whittaker had been connected with the bank for forty years, and his resignation was accepted with much regret by all of the officers and Directors.

Mr. Henry P. Turnbull was elected a Vice-President, and Mr. William E. Cable, Jr., was appointed Cashier. Both Mr. Turnbull and Mr. Cable, who were Assistant Cashiers, have been in the employ of the Hanover for many years.

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Notice is hereby given, as provided in Article XV. of the indenture dated December 26th, 1910, of the Niagara & Erie Power Company to the Guaranty Trust Company of New York, as Trustee, that the undersigned, at its office, No. 140 Broadway, New York City, will receive until 10 o'clock A. M. on Tuesday, March 12th, 1918, offers for the sale to it of sufficient bonds of this issue, at not exceeding 105% of par and accrued interest, to exhaust the sum of nine thousand two hundred dollars ($9,200.) The Trustee reserves the right to reject any and all offers. Offers should be sealed and addressed to the TRUST DEPARTMENT.

GUARANTY TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK.
By CHARLES H. SABIN, President.
Dated February 8, 1918.

THE UNION NATIONAL BANK, LOCATED at Cleveland, in the State of Ohio, is closing its affairs. All note holders and other creditors of the Association are therefore hereby notified to present the notes and other claims for payment

W. C. SAUNDERS, Cashier.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

The B. F. Goodrich Company.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The B. F. Goodrich Company, for the election (by the holders of the common stock) of six directors, to hold office for three years, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the Corporation, No. 1,780 Broadway, in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, New York, on Wednesday, March 13, 1918, at 10:30 A. M.

The transfer books will not be closed on account of the annual meeting. Stockholders of record for ten days immediately preceding the meeting will be entitled to vote.

F. C. VAN CLEEF, Secretary.
1,780 Broadway, New York City, February 23, 1918.

THE NORTH AMERICAN COMPANY,
30 Broad Street, New York, N. Y., February 21, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of the By-Laws, the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The North American Company will be held at the office of the Company, Union Building, No. 9 Clinton Street, Newark, N. J., on Wednesday, the 20th day of March, 1918, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing six Directors, in place of the six Directors whose term expires in 1918, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

The stock transfer books will be closed on Thursday, February 28, 1918, at 3 o'clock P. M., and will remain closed until Thursday, March 21, 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M.

JAMES F. FOGARTY, Secretary.

Emergency Umbrella Corporation.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this company for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting, will be held on the eighth floor of 59 William Street, New York City, on Monday, March 4th, 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M.

G. SHANLEY BERMAN, Secretary.
New York, February 19th, 1918.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of WM. JESSOP & SONS, INC., will be held at the Company's principal office, 91 John St., in the City of New York, Thursday, March 14th, 1918, at 12 o'clock noon, for the transaction of any and all business that may come before said meeting.

W. H. MORTON, Secretary.

REAL ESTATE FIELD

Estate Sells Dwelling on West Fifty-third Street—Cash Deals in the Bronx.

Residential properties continue to hold considerable interest in the market, another costly private house passing yesterday into new ownership.

The Central Trust Company, as executor of the estate of Lillian S. Gillespie, sold the four-story residence at 8 West Fifty-third Street, on a plot 27.6 by 100.5, beginning 175 feet west of Fifth Avenue. The property, which is assessed at $115,000, is near St. Thomas's Church and the Rockefeller and Vanderbilt residences. The buyer is a client of Pease & Elliman, who will occupy.

$90,000 Bronx Apartment House Deal.

N. Young bought from John Davis the two five-story apartments at 1,640 and 1,642 Anthony Avenue, on a plot 50 by 100 each. The reported price was $90,000 above a $60,000 mortgage, the buyer paying all cash above this encumbrance. Heller & Sussman, in conjunction with Kurz & Uren, negotiated the transaction.

Cash Sale at Union Square.

John R. Strong, as executor, has sold for cash to an investor the five-story office building at 24 Union Square East, on a plot 26 by 125, adjoining the Union Square Savings Bank, at the northeast corner of Fifteenth Street. The property was held at $90,000. It will be modernized by the new owner. I. B. Wakeman negotiated the transaction.

Investor Buys Broadway Building.

An investor purchased from the Parsons estate for all cash, 388 Broadway, a five-story basement and sub-cellar building, covering a plot 28 by 175, extending through to Cortlandt Alley. It was recently modernized at a large expense, the improvements consisting of steel ceilings, electric elevator, fireproof stairways, &c. The property is leased on short-term leases at approximately $10,000 per annum.

The sellers paid $157,000 for the property. The Douglas Robinson, Charles S. Brown Company and the Charles F. Noyes Company negotiated the sale.

Sale in East Twelfth Street.

Heirs of the estate of Maria Bonnett have sold the four-story dwelling, converted for business use, at 6 East Twelfth Street, on a lot 25 by 103. William Cruikshank's Sons and E. H. Ludlow & Co. were the brokers in the sale.

This property was reported sold last week to M. L. Weiss, the tenant, and the report later denied. It could not be learned yesterday whether he was the purchaser in the present transaction.

Buying Tenements for Investment.

The Lawyers Mortgage Company sold to an investing client of D. and W. Mullins 592 Water Street, a four-story tenement on a lot 22.7 by 56.6, located 45.9 feet south of Montgomery Street.

Charles E. Gremmels purchased for investment yesterday at public auction the five-story flat at 24 West 112th Street. He paid $25,100 for the house at a foreclosure sale conducted by Joseph P. Day.

The building occupies a plot 31 by 100.11, and was sold to satisfy a second mortgage judgment of $3,919 and taxes amounting to $439.85. The sale was subject to a first mortgage of $20,000. Mr. Gremmels recently formed the Providential Realty and Investing Company to hold his properties.

Secures Control of Hudson Street Block Front.

Benjamin B. Davis, President of the B. B. Davis Company, has purchased the three-story building 260 Hudson Street and now controls the entire block front on the east side of Hudson Street, between Broome and Dominick Streets, upon which he plans to erect a large warehouse for his own business. The purchase of 260 Hudson Street was made through Norman Denzer from Anna Gottschalk. The firm at present occupies a six-story warehouse at 250 Hudson Street, which it erected a few years ago.

Two years ago Mr. Davis leased through Mr. Denzer an adjoining 42-foot site for a term of sixty-three years. Recently he acquired the two Hudson Street corners at Broome and Dominick Streets, a small intervening parcel, and by the transfer of 260 Hudson Street he now has control of the entire block.

Bronx Sales.

A client of S. Brener & Co. purchased from Frederick Brown, operator, the five-story twenty-family apartment house, occupying a plot 40.4 by 116 on the northwest corner of Crotona Avenue and 170th Street. The property was held at $55,000.

Hyman Luner purchased from the Meister Builders, Inc., 1,691 Carter Avenue, a five-story new law tenement on a plot 37.6 by 89.

Brooklyn.

Meister Builders, Inc., sold to Ignazio Di Leonardo, the two and one-half-story brick dwelling at 1,725 Seventy-first Street, on a lot 17 by 100.

E. T. Newman sold for Edwin Packard the three-story dwelling at 463 First Street, between Seventh and Eighth Avenues, to a client for occupancy.

Queens Borough Sales.

A. B. Mautner sold to the American Realty Company a plot 70 by 75 feet on the east side of Straiton Avenue, 166 feet south of the Boulevard, Arverne.

J. J. Paymer sold to the Central Smelting and Refining Works of the Bronx, a plot 75 by 180 feet on the south side of Third Street, 150 feet east of Haywood Street, Long Island City.

The Bayside Estates Company sold to C. Lee of Syracuse, N. Y., the dwelling and plot 40 by 100 feet on the southeast corner of Warburton and Bismarck Avenues, Bayside.

The Elmhurst Coal Company purchased from B. Emer a plot 73 by 203 feet adjacent to the Long Island Railroad and to the land of N. Wyckoff, at Glendale, and also eight adjoining lots. The land is to be used for a coal pocket.

Long Island.

The Great Neck Shores Corporation sold at Grenwolde, Great Neck, a Dutch Colonial house and about one acre of ground to Mrs. M. J. Dyson. The property was held at $21,000.

Westchester County.

Percy S. Clark bought through Clifford B. Harmon & Co. the August Mayer home at Larchmont Gardens for occupancy on March 1.

Upper Madison Avenue Houses for Negro Tenants.

The row of five-story apartment houses, known as 2,057 to 2,071 Madison Avenue, taking in the entire block front on the east side of the avenue from 130th to 131st Street, has been leased by Roger Foster to a client of J. B. Wood for a term of years, at an aggregate rental of about $50,000.

These houses, which are now occupied by white tenants, will be extensively renovated and taken over by negro tenants.

Rentals Advancing on Hudson Street.

William A. White & Sons have leased to Bennett Day & Co., importers, the entire modern six-story and basement building at 165 and 167 Hudson Street, corner of Laight Street, for a term of years, at an aggregate rental of about $70,000. The tenants have been located at 151 Hudson Street for more than fifteen years. The new lease represents an increase of about 40 per cent. over the former renting rate.

125th Street Leases.

Huyler's, confectioner, now at 150 West 125th Street, has leased from the E. D. Farrell estate the store at 164 West 125th Street for a long term of years, at an aggregate rental of about $80,000.

Pincus Baron, President of the Best Cloak and Suit Company, now at 2,230 Third Avenue has leased from the Horton estate the store at 150 West 125th Street, now occupied by Huyler's.

Commercial Leases.

George R. Read & Co. rented for the New York Title Insurance Company the entire thirteenth floor at 135 Broadway to Suffern & Co., at present at 90 Wall Street, for a long term of years.

Douglas L. Elliman & Co. leased the store at 44-46 West Thirty-seventh Street for 44-46 West Thirty-seventh Street, Incorporated, and the Schubert Piano Company to James Moore for a term of years.

Jacob Finkelstein & Son leased for John H. Jube, Jr., the store and basement, containing about 5,000 square feet, at 83 Bowery, to Hyman & Zaslav, wholesalers and dealers in silver and plated cutlery ware, who have been established for many years on Eldridge Street. They will occupy their new quarters about May 1.

Cammann, Voorhees & Floyd leased the entire five-story building at 168 Front Street to the Williams Shipping Agency, Incorporated, for more than double the present rental; also sublet for Hugo V. Loewi the store and basement at 33 Water Street to Leonard B. Barnard at an increased rental of 25 per cent.

The Real Estate Management Company has leased the store at 671 Columbus Avenue for John Bergen to Merrill Brothers for a term of years.

Hearing on Torrens Law Amendments Today.

A hearing will be given today in the Assembly Chamber, Albany, on the Sheridan bill amending the Torrens law, which, according to the Registers of the five counties of Greater New York, will make the registration of real estate titles cheaper and easier.

Sale of the Sonoma Postponed.

The Sonoma apartments, on the northeast corner of Broadway and Fifty-fifth Street, belonging to Clarence Payne, alleged bankrupt, and scheduled to be offered in foreclosure proceedings today at the stand of Joseph P. Day, will not be put up, but instead on Monday next the stock of the Derwent Realty Company, which holds title to the property for Payne, will be sold in the Vesey Street Salesroom by Adrian H. Muller & Son.

This stock, together with notes, is held by the Central Trust Company as collateral for a loan approximating $40,000. Negotiations have been in progress for the purchase of the property at private sale.

Realty Notes.

The regular meeting of the Harlem Property Owners' Association has been called for tomorrow evening at 147 East 125th Street.

A talk on "Automatic Sprinkler Systems" will be given tomorrow evening at the Murray Hill Evening Trade School, 237 East Thirty-seventh Street, by I. G. Hogland, Secretary of the National Automatic Sprinkler Association. The talk will be supplemented by a series of motion pictures showing not only the development and installation of these systems but also their actual operation during a fire. It will be given under the auspices of the real estate and building management class of the school, and is open to the public.

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THOMAS D. McCARTHY, U. S. Marshal.
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Sirs: Take notice that an offer has been made by Eisen Realty Co. to purchase all of the assets of J. O. Sachs Co., Inc., the above-named bankrupt, including all merchandise, fixtures, machinery, outstanding accounts receivable, choses in action, equity in accounts assigned, cash on hand and in bank, and all other property and effects of every kind. The said purchaser offers to pay to all of the creditors whose claims shall be proved and allowed, the sum of ten (10%) per cent. of such claims, payable in cash, and the purchaser further agrees to pay in full all claims entitled to priority and to pay all the expenses of administration.

Further take notice that a hearing will be had on the said offer before Hon. Julius M. Mayer, one of the Judges of the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of New York, at the Post Office Building, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 27th day of February, 1918, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at which time said bid and such other bids as may be received by the undersigned will be placed before the Court for its determination and such other disposition made of the assets as to the Court may seem just and proper.

Dated, New York, February 20th, 1918.

MAX E. LEHMAN, Receiver.

WEIL & PURVIN, Attorneys for Receiver, 291 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—No. 25620.—In Bankruptcy.—CHARLES L. KORNBLUTH, individually and as a member of the firm of ZITTENFIELD-KORNBLUTH PAPER CO., Bankrupt.

Charles L. Kornbluth was duly adjudicated bankrupt, on February 20, 1918. The first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, No. 71 Broadway, City of New York, on March 11th, 1918, at 10:30 A. M. Creditors may prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may come before said meeting.

STANLEY W. DEXTER, Referee in Bankruptcy.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT, SOUTHERN DISTRICT of New York.—Bankruptcy.—No. 24974.—Notice is given that LOUIS S. FEUER and DAVID A. SOLOMON, individually and as copartners, doing business as ECLIPSE CLOTHING CO., a bankrupt, has applied for a discharge from all his debts. Creditors and parties interested are ordered to attend before this Court in Post Office Building, Manhattan, New York, on April 1, 1918, at 10:30 A. M., there to show cause why discharge should not be granted. Dated, New York, February 26, 1918.

WILLIAM H. WILLIS, Referee in Bankruptcy.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—No. 25579.—In Bankruptcy.—ASSOCIATED 25C. DEPT. STORE, INC., Bankrupt.

Associated 25c. Dept. Store, Inc., was duly adjudicated bankrupt, on February 18th, 1918. The first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, No. 71 Broadway, City of New York, on March 11th, 1918, at 10 A. M. Creditors may prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may come before said meeting.

STANLEY W. DEXTER, Referee in Bankruptcy.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—No. 24726.—In Bankruptcy.—DEOCH & DORIS, INC., Bankrupt.

Deoch & Doris, Inc., was duly adjudicated bankrupt, on August 28, 1917. An adjourned first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, No. 31 Nassau Street, City of New York, on March 8, 1918, at 11:30 A. M. Creditors may prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may come before said meeting.

JOHN J. TOWNSEND, Referee in Bankruptcy.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT, SOUTHERN DISTRICT of New York.—Bankruptcy.—Notice is given that J. ELWOOD WINGATE, Bankrupt, has applied for a discharge from all his debts. Creditors and parties interested are ordered to attend before this Court, in Post Office Building, Manhattan, New York, on Monday, April 8, 1918, at 10:30 A. M., there to show cause why discharge should not be granted.

JOHN J. TOWNSEND, Referee in Bankruptcy.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT, SOUTHERN DISTRICT of New York.—Bankruptcy.—Notice is given that JOSHUA S. ALPHONSUS, Bankrupt, has applied for a discharge from all his debts. Creditors and parties interested are ordered to attend before this Court, in Post Office Building, Manhattan, New York, on Monday, April 8, 1918, at 10:30 A. M., there to show cause why discharge should not be granted.

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MAX E. SANDERS, Receiver.

SOBEL AND BRAND, 320 Broadway, New York, and ALLEN R. MEMHARD, 120 Broadway, Attorneys for Receiver.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of SAVOY SPECIALTY CO., INC., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Tues., Mar. 5, 1918, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 412 Eighth Ave., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of Drug Sundries, Large Assortment of Perfumes, Soaps, Toilet Articles, Bottles, Fixtures, Safe, etc.

J. FRED ALSGOOD, Receiver.

MARCUS HELFAND, Attorney for Receiver, 320 Broadway, New York.

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WANTED.—Loads 5-ton motor trucks, New York to Philadelphia; special rates. Communicate Stern, 3,217 Broadway. Phone Morningside 6095.

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Automobiles Wanted.

WILL buy good second hand car; part cash, part stock strong producing oil company. 1,509 Singer Building.

500 AUTOS Wanted.—Cash ready; all good makes. 1,763 Broadway. Circle 2476.

STUTZ OR MERCER Wanted.—Letter only. R., 530 Majestic Hotel, 72d St.

FOUR-PASSENGER, four-door touring car, 1917 or 1918 model. B 473 Times Annex.

CHANDLER.—Wanted, Chummy 1917 or similar car. Shaw, 106-8 East 110th.

Automobiles for Rent.

CADILLAC limousine for hire; day, week, monthly preferred. Harlem 3698.

LANCIA.—Beautiful S. G. V. limousine, landaulet; ideal town cars; moderate rates. Kline Bros., 425 West 54th. Columbus 398.

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PACKARD Renting Service, $75-$100 per week; shopping, theatre. Call Riverside 5245.

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Automobile Repairing.

Why buy a new car? In our completely equipped machine shop we can make your old car good as new, guaranteeing workmanship. Washington Heights Machine Shop, 528 West 162d, Audubon 8686.

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DEAD STORAGE.—Automobiles, $5 month up. Matt Dwyer's, 311 West 140th. Audubon 1540.

Automobile Garages.

TEN portable steel automobile garages for sale; packed for export. Apply 5 Beekman St., Room 1030, between 10-11.

Automobile Instruction.

STEWART AUTO SCHOOL, 225 W. 57th St. at Broadway. Booklet 1 explains WHY our course is BEST. Inspect our plant and be convinced. Ladies' classes. "Founded on Honesty 1909. Prospers on Merit."

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Auto School WEST SIDE Y. M. C. A., 302 W. 57th St. Largest and best school in the U.S. Send for booklet and pass to school. Telephone Columbus 7920. Special classes for ladies.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Female

ADVERTISING ASSISTANT.—College woman desires position copywriter; literary. Stenham, 361 West 121st St.

BOOKKEEPER AND STENOGRAPHER, expert, would like position for part time, daily or weekly. Phone Miss W., Beekman 2657.

BOOKKEEPER, TYPIST.—Thoroughly competent; 8 years' experience; excellent references. B 69 Times.

BOOKKEEPER-TYPIST.—High school graduate; five years' experience; reference; $16. J. 363 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER-STENOGRAPHER has sufficient spare time to post or keep small set of books. J 196 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, 9 years' experience, controlling accounts, to take complete charge; salary $22. J 364 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER.—Thoroughly experienced; double entry, trial balance, controlling accounts; $20. B 475 Times Annex.

CASHIER.—Young lady, good appearance, desires position in hotel restaurant or hotel; can furnish cash security. B. R., Hotel Bristol, Yonkers, N. Y.

CHAMBER WORK AND SEWING.—Experienced colored woman wants work in private family, country preferred. Pollard's bell, 70 West 100th St.

CLERICAL WORKER.—Thoroughly experienced; accurate figurer, correspondent, foreign exchange, knowledge of bookkeeping; salary, $15-$18. J 342 Times Downtown.

COMPANION, SECRETARY.—Educated, practical young woman, as companion, secretary, governess. Brown, 238 West 106th St.

COOK.—First-class cook wants position in downtown restaurant or club; colored; best references. Address N 589 Times Harlem.

EVENING WORK.—5 to 12 P. M., switchboard, typing, or office clerk; $15; three years' general office experience. Call, daytime. Franklin 2517.

GOVERNESS.—French nursery; entire charge child over 3; references; only by letter. H., 123 West 43d St.

HOUSEKEEPER.—Refined Canadian; thoroughly competent, excellent, economical cook and manager, desires care of apartment, New York business people; highest personal city references. J., 42 Hilton St., Clifton, N. J.

HOUSEKEEPER.—Widow with 7-year-old boy would like position as first-class housekeeper. Dildy, 477 West 140th St.

HOUSEWORKER.—Light colored girl, housework or chamber work and waiting. Bertrand, 152 West 143d.

LADY, refined, 40, visiting companion, secretary, housekeeper; mornings; exceptional references. J 197 Times.

LADY'S MAID, &c.—Young French girl, speaks little English, seeks situation as lady's maid or chambermaid; does not wait at table. Write to Mlle. L. Laborde, Apt. 6B, 64 East 86th St., city.

NURSE.—Useful companion or attendant; experienced. 873 3d Av., Box 16.

PHARMACIST.—Intelligent, experienced, and capable graduate pharmacist desires position, preferably resident with hospital or laboratory. Phone Intervale 2096.

PRIVATE SECRETARY.—High-class; experienced; executive ability; capable taking entire charge affairs of busy man; references. J 148 Times.

SECRETARY-STENOGRAPHER.—Intelligent, seven years' mail order executive experience, seeks position in executive or secretarial capacity; knowledge all modern business methods. J 186 Times.

SECRETARY-STENOGRAPHER.—THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED; POSSESS INITIATIVE; CHRISTIAN; $18. B 378 TIMES DOWNTOWN.

SECRETARY-STENOGRAPHER desires position with engineering or literary firm; competent; lots of gray matter; reliable. J 385 Times Downtown.

SECRETARY-STENOGRAPHER, high grade, exceptional ability, vast experience, seeks connection entailing initiative and responsibility; salary $22. J 391 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER.—Expert; capable assuming responsibility; familiar with modern office methods; seven years' valuable experience; highest credentials. B 340 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER—CORRESPONDENT.—Six years' experience; can handle any dictation; possesses initiative and ability; high school graduate; age 22; salary $20, $25 week. A 358 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER.—Competent; 6 years' experience; knowledge of bookkeeping and general office routine; $18. A 393 Times Downtown.

SECRETARY.—Educated, refined young woman, with experience along executive lines, wishes position assistant to busy man. J 147 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, thoroughly experienced; understands bookkeeping; executive ability; neat appearance; high school graduate; salary $18. M., 3,764 Broadway.

STENOGRAPHER-SECRETARY.—Office management ability; loyal; seven years' experience; highest credentials; salary $20 to $25. J 386 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER.—Legal and commercial experience, 4½ years altogether; Christian; $15. B 379 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, knowledge bookkeeping; high school graduate; 2 years' experience; $17. J 347 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, high school graduate; four years' experience; conscientious, willing worker. B 350 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER.—High school education; 1½ years' experience; $13; excellent references. A. Loeve, 566 West 162d.

STENOGRAPHER.—High school graduate; experienced, executive ability, refined, neat appearance; salary $16. R., 3,516 Broadway.

STENOGRAPHER.—Capable, experienced, and intelligent stenographer desires position. Phone Intervale 2996.

STENOGRAPHER.—Christian; neat, capable; some experience; moderate salary. B., 330 West 141st.

STENOGRAPHER-SECRETARY.—Possessing initiative and ability; 5 years' experience; $20. K 8 Times.

STENOGRAPHER-SECRETARY.—First-class experience; rapid, accurate; highly recommended; $18. K 9 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, experienced, desires position in downtown office; competent, willing. H 74 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, evenings, well educated, four years' experience; willing to work evenings. B 349 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, Office Assistant.—Two years' experience; references; $12. J 358 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHIC SECRETARY.—Excellent qualifications; good at details; $20 week. B 374 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER.—Experienced; high school education; good appearance; rapid worker $15. B 373 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER.—Four years' experience; capable, intelligent, conscientious worker; $16. B 361 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER—BOOKKEEPER.—Four years' experience. B 364 Times Downtown.

TELEPHONE OPERATOR, typist, assistant bookkeeper; 3 years' experience; neat, accurate. Miss B. Jacobsen, Melrose 3526.

YOUNG WOMAN will read best authors, newspapers, or anything desired one or two evenings a week to shut-in person. J 178 Times.

Employment Agencies.

HOUSEWORKERS.—Neat colored girls, investigated references, wish places; other Southern help supplied. Lincoln Industrial Exchange, (Agency,) 314 West 59th. Phone Columbus 5022. Established 1899.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

ACCOUNTANT—OFFICE MANAGER.
Seventeen years' broad manufacturing experience, accounting, cost, auditing, shop, routing, statistical and financial statements, credit and office management; late chief accountant largest motor car manufacturer; highest credentials; age 37; salary, $3,000. Executive, W 153 Times.

ACCOUNTANT-MANAGER.—(28;) Christian; exempt; not ordinary bookkeeper; live, energetic business man; 8 years' experience in above capacity; opportunity most important. J. 366 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, (30,) American, draft exempt; 12 years' broad experience, manufacturing and commercial; executive ability; excellent references. B 356 Times Downtown.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

ACCOUNTANT.—Books opened; system; arrangements firms not employing bookkeepers, $2.50 weekly. 123 Liberty, Room 104. Cortlandt 6668.

ACCOUNTANT.—Income tax reports; trial balances, $5 monthly, upward; books opened, closed, audited. Friedlander, 19 Cedar. John 5855.

ACCOUNTANCY STUDENT, 20, American, wishes to assist bookkeeper, $14; references. B 351 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT desires a few accounts for evening work; terms reasonable. J 149 Times.

ADVERTISING MAN.—First-class copywriter; agency and publishing experience; layout and art ability; understands printing, engraving, &c.; can make immediate connections. H 84 Times.

ADVERTISING SALESMAN.—Position desired with trade journal or other publication; age 30; single; draft Class 3; employed ten years with present concern. J 369 Times Downtown.

AMBITIOUS American, (25,) well educated, good appearance, 3 years' experience large manufacturing concern, desires permanent connection. H 85 Times.

AMERICAN, 20, high school, 4 years' thorough office experience, seeks good connection; A1 credentials. H. A. L., 379 Madison St.

AN EMPLOYMENT AND WELFARE SUPERVISOR,
who is at present employed in the East, is desirous of making a change, on account of unsatisfactory conditions; he is thoroughly familiar with every detail of employment and welfare work, and is also thoroughly conversant with labor conditions throughout the country. Write for further details to Executive, care Brown Advertising Agency, Inc., 110 West 34th St., New York City.

ASSISTANT TO ADVERTISER.
Young man, with agency experience, good education, wants position with agency or national advertiser. K 2 Times.

ASSISTANT BUYER.—Young man desires position as assistant buyer, housefurnishings dept. of store. A. D., 211 Times.

BOOKKEEPER.—Intelligent, well-educated young man; 20 years old; experienced bookkeeper and ledger clerk. B 372 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, double entry, trial balance, &c.; 10 years' experience; salary $20; rapid and accurate in figures. J 374 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, (23); draft exempt; university education; experience; export; salary $22. J 383 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, married, thoroughly competent ledger man; exempt; excellent references; $22. J 181 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, accountant, stenographer, 25; university graduate; 5 years' experience; exempt. J 370 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, 29, nine years' experience; thoroughly capable; controlling accounts; exempt. N 588 Times Harlem.

BOOKKEEPER.—21 years; 4 years' experience, thorough on controls and trial balance. B 313 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER.—Three years' experience; thorough on controls and trial balances. A. J., 100 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced, desires to assist accountant evenings and Saturday afternoon. B 354 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, 20; accounting student; 3 years' experience; trial balances, controlling; $18. J 375 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, clerk, (19,) American; high school education; 3 years' experience. B 360 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER.—American, 22, experienced, double entry, control system; moderate salary. B 366 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER'S assistant, (19,) 2 years' experience, double entry; typist; $14. B 339 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER and Credit Man.—Full office charge; cloaks, suits preferred; best references and business experience. H 61 Times.

BOOKKEEPER'S ASSISTANT, typist; six years' experience; legible penman; $18. G 129 Edgecombe Av.

BOOKKEEPER-STENOGRAPHER, (19½); controlling accounts; experienced; high school graduate; $18. J 136 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, 21; four years' experience; take full charge. W 150 Times Downtown.

BOY (16) desires a clerical position, $9-$10. J 183 Times.

BUSINESS MAN, college graduate, 29, exempt; legal and business experience, salesman training, would consider proposition with future prospect; salary not principal consideration. J 142 Times.

BUTLER, middle age, desires position; 15 years last place. McDonough, 104 East 123d.

CHAUFFEUR.—We have several good men with from 3 to 9 years' reference on last positions; this is not an employment bureau Society of Professional Auto Engineers, 1,947 Broadway, Tel. Columbus 4056.

CHAUFFEUR.—Japanese, single, experience, 15 years mechanic, excellent driver, desires position; prefer Packard, Cadillac; no liquor, smoking; wages $25; references. Chauffeur, 330 East 57th.

CHAUFFEUR, mechanic, 33, married, wishes position private family; honest, reliable; strictly temperate; reference. Lenox 9300, Extension 306.

CHAUFFEUR, mechanic, married, 6 years last position, private, Packard or Pierce preferred; highest references. Schaeffer, 854 West 180th.

CHAUFFEUR.—Swedish, 16 years' mechanical and driving experience on best cars only. Highest references; sober and reliable. P. P., 216, E. 62d.

CHAUFFEUR, mechanic, capable any position; Simplex, Rolls-Royce, any car; highly recommended; best families. Dahlberg, 346 East 50th.

CHAUFFEUR.—Married, 12 years' experience domestic, foreign machines; A-1 mechanic; best reference. Fred'k Herman, 255 West 127th St.

CHAUFFEUR.—Mechanic; single; best reference; $30 weekly; permanent; private only. H 75 Times.

CHAUFFEUR.—Mechanic; 7 years' experience Winton cars; own repairs; city and touring; private; careful driver. J 192 Times.

CLERICAL WORKER.—Young man (19) desires clerical position; knowledge of bookkeeping; experience. Address Y. M., 200 Times.

CLERK.—Young man (21) desires position as clerk or assistant bookkeeper; six years' experience; subscriber to Alexander Hamilton Institute. H 73 Times.

CORRESPONDENT of large concern desires evening work; college graduate; accounting and teaching experience; typewriting facilities. J 184 Times.

CORRESPONDENT, expert, good traffic man, age 27, desires permanent connection. J 377 Times Downtown.

DRAFTSMEN.—Completion of Government contract releases the services of chief draftsman and drafting force in branch office of firm of constructing engineers; chief draftsman open to engagement March 4; can command the services of several structural, architectural, electrical, and mechanical draftsmen. Z 293 Times Annex.

DRAFTSMAN desires position, tracings, maps, Reinheradt's lettering. K. N., 456 Times Downtown.

EDITOR-LITERARY CRITIC.—Eight years' experience; desires part or whole time position with book publisher or magazine as editor, associate, or reader. R 9 Times.

ELECTRICIAN.—All-around mechanic, technical graduate, maintained large factory, wants position. B 311 Times Downtown.

ENGINEER, licensed, 32, Scotch, would like to connect with some reliable engineering or packing concern as a city salesman. G 165 Times.

ESTIMATOR.—Capable man on taking off sash, doors and trim; can also run construction work. Address E. T., 810 Broad St., Newark, N. J.

EXECUTIVE.—Now buyer and manager for large installment furniture and carpet house; high-class advertising and merchandise man; can take full charge of big proposition and produce satisfactory results; A1 credentials. B. A., 201 Times Downtown.

EXECUTIVE POSITION desired by young man, 37, married, attorney at law, in office of large banking, public utility, or other corporation; 17 years' experience; satisfactory reference. Z 282 Times Annex.

EXECUTIVE, YOUNG MAN, 20, A1 CALIBRE, SEEKS OPPORTUNE BUSINESS ENGAGEMENT. B 343 TIMES DOWNTOWN.

FILING, LIBRARIAN, Typist, New York Public Library, desires similar position. J 380 Times Downtown.

FOREMAN building construction; twenty years' experience; out of town preferred. J 189 Times.

GARDENER, married, desires permanent position; competent; experienced horticulture; assume charge country estate; temperate. J 187 Times.

GENTLEMAN, elderly, active and capable, thoroughly familiar and experienced with office detail, wishes position as office or stock room assistant or similar employment, with reasonable salary. O 284 Times Downtown.

INSPECTOR.—Concrete, timekeeper, material clerk; large experience; accept offer anything. N 585 Times Harlem.

IS THERE AN AGENCY,
MANUFACTURER OR PUBLISHER
who could use man, (32,) married; advertising man, service and salesman; know practical printing and methods, engravings, &c.; expert on typography and layout. At present employed in production dept. of prominent New York agency. Seek larger opportunity as advertising manager (or assistant,) office manager or representative. B 453 Times Annex.

JAPANESE VALET wants position; well educated; care bachelor's apartment. Tokio, 742 6th Av.

MANAGER.—Business or office manager with executive ability desires position; age 28, married, 10 years' experience in wholesale grocery and grain business, also dry goods; can furnish highest credentials. For personal interview address H 71 Times.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

MAN, married, aged 35, good education and business ability, wishes position at anything afternoons or afternoons and evenings; store preferred; salary. J 378 Times Downtown.

MAN, married, 28, high school education; good correspondent, investigator; desires position with live concern. J 340 Times Downtown.

MASTER SHIP CARPENTER,
(HOLLANDER.)
Many years' experience as chief of carpenter's department for all woodwork inside ships of the largest shipyard in Holland; capable to handle large staff of workingmen; thoroughly familiar with machinery and having the best recommendations. J 198 Times.

MECHANICAL AND ELECTRICAL ENGINEER of ability and initiative seeks opening progressive concern; 18 years' experience; design, development, manufacture; technical graduate. J 199 Times.

MECHANICAL EXPERT desires connection 12 o'clock on days; familiar all kinds machinery, tools, repair, construction, general. H 89 Times.

OFFICE MAN, 27, married, bookkeeper, collections, credits, employed, desires change, with opportunities. Address G. A., 263 West 125th.

OFFICE MANAGER.—Accountant, American, 20 years' general business experience, desires connection as office manager. H 78 Times.

PAINTING, paperhanging, decorating, furniture painting; everywhere; contract work; reasonable; references. Frank Kraus, 28 West 31st. 3141 Madison Square.

PURCHASING AGENT, printing, factory supplies, automobile accessories; 37; married. J 393 Times Downtown.

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE MAN, (38,) married, wants position; 5 years' banking experience, 5 years own business; best references. Address D. Lester Smith, Boonton, N. J.

SALES ENGINEER.—Technical graduate, with several years' broad mechanical engineering experience, desires to represent manufacturer of machinery in metropolitan district. J 371 Times Downtown.

SALES MANAGER'S position wanted by energetic young man, age 34; 11 years' grocery specialty experience; 2 years assistant salesmanager; available March 15. N. Y. preferred; salary $3,300. B 345 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN with several years' experience selling the wholesale and retail grocery, hardware, and auto supply dealers in New York State and New England, desires to represent a reliable house; drawing account against commissions and traveling expenses; will travel by train or automobile. R. V. V. C., Room 404, 27 Thames St., city.

SALESMAN, aggressive, experienced, desires connection reputable concern, staple commodity, to cover State New Jersey; salary basis or guarantee only; excellent references. J 185 Times.

SALESMAN.—Young man, 24, exempt, pleasing personality, neat appearance; 6 years with last concern; selling ability; best of reference. K 5 Times.

SALESMAN.
If you need resourceful, energetic salesman, grant me interview to convince you that you want me. J 188 Times.

SALESMAN.—Inside or outside in silks and dress goods, also managing, desires position. Box 550, 1,418 5th Av.

SALESMAN, good connections cutting up trade, wants good line or specialties for that trade; best references. A 162 Times.

SALESMAN, capable, with executive experience, open; drawing account against commission. G 184 Times.

SECRETARY.—American, 28, college education; deferred classification in draft; reliable, tactful, co-operative ability to analyze and organize work; correspondent, indexing; expert welfare worker; typist; employed; excellent references. B 362 Times Downtown.

SECRETARY, (26,) college education; expert stenographer and typist; six years' experience as newspaper reporter and private secretary; highly recommended; salary about $30. B 370 Times Downtown.

SECRETARY, OFFICE MANAGER, by graduate law; typewriting, stenography; best references. J 195 Times.

SHOE MAN.—Expert; understands orthopedics; can manage and buy; open for position after March 1st. Hustler, Z 274 Times Annex.

STENOGRAPHER, correspondent, expert typist; unquestionable references; six years' experience; exempt. N 591 Times Harlem.

SUPERINTENDENT.—Position desired on gentleman's place; thoroughly understands all kinds of work; can furnish best of reference as to ability and character. P. O. Box 26, Staatsburg, Dutchess County, N. Y.

TRAFFIC MAN.—Thoroughly familiar with rates, routes, claims, tracing; eight years' industrial traffic experience. K 18 Times.

WATCH YOUR STEP before filling that vacancy. I go to a progressive house with a good proposition. Grant me an interview. G 151 Times.

WHAT ARE BRAINS WORTH TODAY?
I AM THIRTY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE, IRISH BY BIRTH, IN AMERICA FOURTEEN YEARS; A PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT AND LAW GRADUATE; HAVE HAD SEVEN YEARS COLLEGE EDUCATION; AM A FIRST-CLASS CREDIT, COLLECTION MAN AND CORRESPONDENT; KNOWN FROM COAST TO COAST BY ALL GOOD ATTORNEYS; AM A HIGH-GRADE ADJUSTER, HAVING A RECORD IN THIS LINE; CAN FURNISH A BOND OF ANY AMOUNT; AM WELL KNOWN IN EUROPE AND HAVE EARNED SEVEN THOUSAND PER YEAR AS PRESIDENT OF LARGE CORPORATION FOR THE LAST FOUR YEARS; AM NOW OPEN TO CONSIDER PROPOSITION INDEPENDENT OF SALARY TO START PROVIDING OPPORTUNITY IS GIVEN TO DEVELOP; I WILL GIVE YOU MY EXPERIENCE AND PROVE MY WORTH IF GIVEN THE OPPORTUNITY; WILL ONLY CONNECT WITH HIGH-GRADE FIRM; EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES AND BOOK CONCERNS SAVE YOUR TIME AND POSTAGE, AS I WILL NOT PAY OTHERS TO SELL MY KNOWLEDGE, AS I CAN DO IT MYSELF; THOSE INTERESTED IN SECURING A BUSINESS MAN OF THE WORLD WHO HAS MADE GOOD AND WHO IS NOW OPEN FOR ENGAGEMENT CAN INTERVIEW ME BY ADDRESSING H 65 TIMES.

YOUNG MAN.—Ambitious, energetic young man, college education, fully capable of handling correspondence, credits, purchases, office details; highest credentials. H 81 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 23, exempt from draft, has 3 years' experience selling and shipping furs, wishes position at anything. H. Schwartz, 110 Lewis St.

YOUNG MAN, (19,) 3 years' bookkeeping experience and general office routine, desires connection with reliable firm. B 268 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, 25, draft exempt, high school education, good correspondent, can wait on trade, wishes position; will start at very nominal salary. H 63 Times.

YOUNG MAN, (25,) high school education, wishes position with progressing concern where integrity will bring advancement. J 191 Times.

YOUNG MAN, educated, 20, good employment; will travel anywhere; appearance and ability for anything; Protestant American. J 154 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 26, American; experienced manager, salesman, traveling or local, wants live line with live firm. J 322 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, 18, desires position on Friday afternoons or Saturdays. K 10 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, (22,) draft exempt, capable and efficient, having clerical and stock experience, desires position. Stock, 144 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 25, draft exempt, high school graduate, open for position as salesman; 8 years' experience. N 584 Times Harlem.

YOUNG MAN, 26, married, exempt, desirous position, with advancement; references. K 15 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 20, clerical experience, good education, desires position with advancement. B 474 Times Annex.

YOUNG MAN, 26, liking law, desires connection law firm or corporation. J 321 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, 28, married, traffic manager, desires employment for evenings. J 376 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, (26,) desires position, traffic department of commercial house. J 174 Times.

YOUNG MAN, just graduated from high school, desires to enter business world; ambitious, energetic, capable, neat. K 14 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 20, desires position with opportunities for advancement; references. J 143 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 20, with stock and selling experience, wishes position. B 341 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, American; large business experience; tackle anything; references. J 180 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 18, desires position in radio or electrical line. B 338 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, (20,) experienced, with wholesale shirt or neckwear firm. J 194 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 20, ambitious, wishes clerical position; 3 years' experience. K 11 Times.

HELP WANTED—Female.

ABRAHAM & STRAUS,
FULTON STREET, BROOKLYN.
SALESWOMEN.

We require experienced saleswomen for our Millinery Trimmings, Silks, Cotton Goods, and Housefurnishing Department. Apply to Superintendent.

ALSO
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Require several saleswomen of first-class experience, thoroughly versed in the selling and fitting of shoes. Apply to Superintendent.

ADVANCEMENT FOR WRAPPERS OR INSPECTORS.

Young women, 23-28 years of age, quick and accurate, with experience in first-class department or specialty stores, will have pleasant working conditions, and if competent will secure advancement.

APPLICATIONS HELD IN STRICTEST CONFIDENCE.

Apply all week, Best & Co. Employment Office, 8:30-10 A. M., 7 West 35th St.

ARTISTS.—Wanted, girls for art work; experience unnecessary, but neatness essential; those having knowledge of china paintings preferred. Apply, between 12 and 2 P. M., Radium Dial Co., Room 901, 501 5th Av.

BILL CLERK.—Young woman for Underwood machine; rapid operator and experienced biller; state salary and qualifications. B 354 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER with first-class experience in statistical, engineering, or building work; knowledge of stenography useful but not essential; permanent; state experience, age, salary expected. J 362 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, EXPERIENCED IN DOUBLE ENTRY; ONLY ONE WHO IS THOROUGH AND EFFICIENT NEED APPLY. J 177 TIMES.

BOOKKEEPER AND TYPIST, experienced double entry; capable taking care of business, correspondence. Crescent Cap Co., 22 West 4th.

BOOKKEEPER, either male or female, for cloak manufacturer, capable to take charge of office; must be able to furnish bond; state full particulars in reply. J 146 Times.

BOOKKEEPER.—Young lady on customers' ledgers; quick and accurate at figures; give age, experience, nationality, and salary expected. H 82 Times.

BOOKKEEPER and TYPIST.—Experienced; best references, for fur trade. Liebman Bros., 359 7th Av.

BOOKKEEPER.—Double entry and cashier; thoroughly experienced; state age, salary, and experience. B 82 Times.

BOOKKEEPER in law office; answer, stating age, experience, and salary expected. J 356 Times Downtown.

CLERICAL WORKER.—A bright girl for clerical work; must be good at figures; $10 per week; permanent position, with advancement. Address in own handwriting, giving age and experience, Clerical, 270 Times Downtown.

CLERICAL ASSISTANT.—Young woman as clerical assistant in laboratory; good education essential; salary $9 while learning; opportunity for advancement; write, stating in detail, age, education, experience; hours 9 to 5; Saturday 12:30. Electrical Testing Laboratories, 80th St. and East End Av.

CLERK.—Order department experience preferred; Long Island City manufacturing firm; state experience and salary expected. R 33 Times.

COLLEGE GRADUATES.
Laboratory work for college graduates who have specialized in physics and mathematics; good opportunity for advancement; $15 to start. Address, stating age,
A. H. C.,
463 WEST ST., NEW YORK CITY.

COMPANION, MAID for young married lady, for daily attendance of few hours; one speaking Spanish and English preferred; must be youthful and present unquestioned references. Address L. V., Box R 22 Times.

COMPLAINT TRACERS.
ABRAHAM & STRAUS, Fulton St., Brooklyn, require the services of several intelligent young women to act as complaint tracers; experience not necessary. Apply to Superintendent.

COMPTOMETER OPERATORS.
CLERKS
with bookkeeping experience, large chain grocery concern; state age, experience, and salary expected; wonderful chance for advancement. F. A. K., P. O. Box 200, New York City.

COOK wanted; 6 hours a day, 6 days a week. Only written application to Mrs. C. F. Collins, 830 Park Av.

DICTAPHONE OPERATOR.—Must be experienced, rapid, and efficient. Call Magazine of Wall Street, 42 Broadway.

DRAFTSWOMAN wanted for reproduction work in technical publishing house; state age, experience, and salary expected. J 379 Times Downtown.

ENVELOPES.—EXPERIENCED HAND FOLDERS; STEADY POSITION. SAMUEL CUPPLES CO., 7-11 LAIGHT, NEAR WEST BROADWAY AND CANAL.

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OFFICE BOY, bright and willing, wanted by large manufacturing concern; good chance for advancement. Call Andrew Jergens Co., 599 Broadway.

OFFICE BOY wanted by leading cotton and silk manufacturing concern; good opportunity; answers state experience and references; salary $8. J 140 Times.

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OFFICE BOY, age about 15; good prospects; salary $6 per week. J 305 Times Downtown.

OFFICE BOY, bright and willing, by downtown commission house. Apply Room 75, Cotton Exchange Building.

OFFICE WORK.—Man wanted, middle aged, for office work; give age, nationality, state previous employment and references. R 29 Times.

ORDER CLERK position open to a wide-awake American, with opportunity for advancement; electrical experience preferred, but not essential; state age, experience, and salary desired. R 41 Times.

PACKER.

Large corporation has opening for experienced packer with good references; please give age, experience, and salary desired. O 354 Times Downtown.

PHONOGRAPH SALESMAN in downtown shop; splendid opportunity for man experienced with the Columbia line; state age, experience, and salary desired. B 375 Times Downtown.

PROMOTION MAN.—high class man to make an analytical study of conditions and put them forth with literary and graphic force, one who can revise letters to fewest possible words and can have the printed material bear the stamp of dignity; preferably man experienced in newspaper or magazine field. Address, stating experience and salary expected. Z 264 Times Annex.

SALESMEN.—I want two energetic salesmen; experience in our line not necessary; I can teach you if you are willing to learn; strictly commission, but your income will be unusually large if successful. Write for appointment, DO NOT phone or call, Room 1030, Knickerbocker Hotel.

SALESMAN.—Paint and varnish trade calling on painters and manufacturing trade; fine opportunity for man of ability; openings in New York City and New Jersey; give complete information regarding territory of trade called on; salary. Z 290 Times Annex.

SALESMEN.—Financial institution desires services of two high-grade salesmen of $5,000 earning capacity and upward; splendid opportunity for clean-cut men with unquestionable references; leads furnished; commission. H 37 Times.

SALESMEN.—High-powered men who are in the $5,000 class, looking for a permanent position and can handle a force of salesmen on commission. Merrill & Maher, 629, 116 West 39th St.

SALESMEN wanted, high class, for live proposition; good credentials necessary; commission, with drawing account when ability is proven. Apply, by letter, S. Harris, Suite 210 McFadden Building, Hackensack, N. J.

SALESMEN, to carry a side line of laces on strictly commission basis for an old established house; samples very light; all territories open; established trade. R 19 Times.

SALESMAN.—Automobile accessories, thoroughly experienced; A1 references required; salary and commission. Call after 10 A. M., 2367 3d Av., between 128th and 129th Sts.

SALESMAN with commercial car experience to sell Dodge Bros. commercial cars in Bronx County; salary and commission. John B. Elsey, Inc., 344 East 149th St., Bronx.

SALESMAN—With executive ability to take entire charge of office and secure orders for exceptional seller. Commission basis. 3d floor, 34 Barclay St.

SALESMAN.—Wanted on raincoats and auto dusters for city and office trade; must have following; commission. Z 295, Times Annex.

SALESMEN for New York City to call on professional men who have been prepared for interview; liberal commission. R 30 Times.

SALESMEN.—Two live hardware men for work in metropolitan district; salary; Christian concern. J 242 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN.—One who is acquainted with the envelope trade; salary or commission; good opportunity. O 339 Times Downtown.

HELP WANTED—Male.

SALESMEN.

Boston banking house with large sales organization has a place for any capable man over 25, who has earned $2,000 per year or more, who has enough red blood and intelligent force to qualify with us; to such a one we offer opportunity for immediate financial success and a splendid future; remuneration on commission; all correspondence held in strict confidence. Address Banker, P. O. Box 121, Copley Sq. Station, Boston, Mass.

SALESMEN. — Capable men for Eastern States to represent a corporation whose product is practically without competition; only sober men of force and initiative, with proven selling ability; permanent position with assured promotion to good men; commission basis and drawing account. Mr. S. G. Benson, 288 4th Av., 14th floor.

SALESMAN.—Exceptional chance for high-class man to connect with large manufacturing concern; one who can qualify for sales-manager and prove his selling ability at start on a commission basis; permanent position. R 39 Times.

SALESMAN.—Young man as salesman in showroom of large ladies' coat house; salary basis; must have experience; the right man will find plenty of opportunity for advancement. Apply Wm. Fischman, 15 East 26th.

SALESMEN.—Our Pittsburgh, Boston, and New York offices require several clean-cut young men whose records bear investigation; if you are willing to stay with us and build yourself a future you can earn exceptionally large salaries; drawing account and commissions to start. P. B., 94 Times.

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Firm dealing in automobiles, trucks, tractors, and farm machinery wants sales representative thoroughly familiar with South America; knowledge of Spanish absolutely necessary; only reliable, experienced person will be considered; state age, references, experience, and remuneration expected. J 381 Times Downtown.

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SHEET METAL WORKERS.—Union; several good shop men wanted. Charles Hartmann Co., 985 Dean St., Brooklyn.

SHIPPING CLERK head, thoroughly experienced, with one of the largest hat and cap manufacturers; only those with experience with a hat and cap manufacturer will be considered; must be married and not over 35 years of age; state age, references, and salary expected. S. A., 288 Times Downtown.

SHIPPING ROOM ASSISTANT. — Must be reliable, have first-class references; wages according to ability. Topken Co., 257 4th Av.

SHIPPING CLERK wanted for auto accessories, Herz & Co., 245 West 55th St., city.

SHIPPING, stock and packing manager (Christian firm) by drug house; state age, experience, salary expected. R 34 Times.

SHIPPING CLERK.—By grocery house; state experience, &c. Z 289 Times Annex.

SHOE SALESMAN.—We have an opening for a competent salesman; only those who have had experience with first-class trade and have the ability to sell need apply; appointment; salary arranged. Hanan & Son, 411 5th Av.

STENOGRAPHER.—Young man for stenographic and detail work in large commercial house; opportunity to learn a good business and to work up to a position of confidence; state particulars as to education and experience. H 312 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER.—Young woman to assist busy advertising manager; one with publishing or advertising experience preferred; accuracy in details absolutely necessary. Call before noon, Room 410, 118 East 28th St.

STENOGRAPHER wanted; young man, 19 to 21; must be able to take dictation in Spanish and English; state references and salary desired. O 351 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER.—Young man hired five months ago now selling for us; can break in another now; detail education, experience, salary expected. Tires, 170 Times.

STENOGRAPHER.—Young man to work up to position of trust and responsibility; good salary at start, increase assured when ability is demonstrated. O 297 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER.—Beginner; salary, $8; young man. J 368 Times Downtown.

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STOCK CLERK.—Experienced, wanted for retail merchandise store. 550 5th Av., Brooklyn.

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YOUNG MEN
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STEADY WORK.
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Mrs. Annie O. Kayser, who is described as 54 years old, 5 feet 6 inches, weighs 130 pounds, sallow complexion, mixed gray and black hair, gray eyes, thin face, wrinkled; was last seen on January 14th, 1918, leaving the Prince George Hotel, New York City, where she had been living. She wore a grayish brown gabardine suit, a plum-colored coat, with detachable sealskin collar, and a white and blue flannel shirtwaist; also wore a gold wedding ring on third finger of her left hand, and a turquoise stone ring on little finger of left hand.

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Address all communications to
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THE HEIRS AT LAW OF THE LATE Miss Mary Ann McAdams, who died at Quebec City, Canada, on the fifth of September last, (1917,) daughter of the late James McAdams and Jane Robinson, are duly requested to file as soon as possible with the undersigned the legal proof of their quality as heirs at law in said estate. According to information already received, the first cousins or nearer relatives might possibly have rights in said estate.
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ARMY ORDERS AND ASSIGNMENTS

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The following orders were published by the War Department today:

Medical Reserve Corps.

Vann 1st Lt. J. R., Jr., and Thames, 1st Lt. E., relieved of previous orders.

Following hon. discharged:

CAPTAINS.

Rivers, H. T.
McGuire, F. W.

FIRST LIEUTENANTS.

Ballard, H. C.
Breslau, L. E.
Collins, H. A.
McConnico, F. H.
Peach, C. E.

Nall, Capt. E. H., and Stack, 1st Lt. J. J., to Camp Greenleaf for inst.

Pannaci, Capt. C. E. E.; Skirball, 1st Lt. L. L., and Devendorf, 1st Lt. L. E., to Army Med. School for inst.

Following to Hoboken:

FIRST LIEUTENANTS.

Connolly, T. V.
McCallion, W. H.
Mount, W. B.
Spence, G. S.
De Pue, H. R.
Perry, C. A.
Purdy, F. P.
Robinsteen, C. H.
McCoy, T. C.

Following to Camp Travis:

Woltzen, Capt. S. W.

FIRST LIEUTENANTS.

Abney, W. R.
Downs, E. B.
Arnold, C. K.
Reed, W. K.
Theis, H. H.
Wesenberg, W. R.
Johnson, A.
Herrin, P.
Paradise, J. A.
Walther, R. A.
Yates, C. E.
Crofton, G. H.
Ferguson, J. B.
Rogers, I. W.
Walles, J. O.
Culpepper, R. A.

Following promoted to be Capts.:

FIRST LIEUTENANTS.

Aronson, J. D.
Fincke, H. S.
Rose, F.
Babcock, R. A.
Deunweg, R.
Goodwin, A. J.
McMeel, J. E.
Ross, C. H.
Wehn, C. C.
Berkley, H. K.
Chambers, W. J.
Hovenden, O.
Milliken, W. P.
Tillman, T. E.
West, P. C.
Willey, H. J.
Brown, J. R.
Carter, P. I.
Cooke, J. E.
Cunningham, W. F.
Grattan, J. F.
Griot, G. A.
Hammack, R. W.
Hargreaves, O. C.
Herr, W. H.
Kerr, W. J.
Lambert, S. E.
McNerthney, W. B.
Molseed, C.
Provost, R. G.
Stewart, J. A.

Following promoted to be Majors:

CAPTAINS.

Holt, C. H.
Brown, H. R.
Goodwin, J. J.
Newman, W. A.
Spooner, L. H.
Bjerring, C. L.
Vaughn, E. I.
Dunn, W. L.
Eaton, D. H.
Huff, F. C.
McCabe, F. H.
Mitchell, E. C.
Moss, J. M.

Following to Ft. McPherson with Base Hosp. 26:

Lott, Maj. M. E.
Carell, Capt. W. B.

FIRST LIEUTENANTS.

Brown, M. M.
Carr, M. M.
McBride, R. B.
Smith, D.
Usry, R. S.
Shortal, W. W.
Carlisle, G. L.
Kurth, R. L.
Standifer, C. H.

Claffy, 1st Lt. J. McM.; Rabbiner, 1st Lt. B., and Whiteside, 1st Lt. W. E., to Ft. Myer with 37th Engs.

O'Connor, Capt. C. G., and Stein, 1st Lt. H. M., to Camp Meade.

Held, Capt. R. J., to Camp Upton.

Hess, Capt. J. D., to Ft. Bliss.

McCarthy, 1st Lt. R. R., to Ann Arbor Psychopathic Hosp. for training.

Link, Capt. J. A., previous orders amended; to Camp Sevier as orthopedic surg.

Hughes, 1st Lt. J. J., to Camp Bowie, to examine command for nervous and mental diseases.

MacKenzie, 1st Lt. J. R., to Camp Dodge.

Smith, 1st Lt. L. H., to Ft. Oglethorpe.

Hincher, Capt. C. L., to Rockefeller Inst. for inst., then to his station.

Davis, 1st Lt. R. L., to N. Y. Post-Graduate School and Hosp. for inst.

Weih, 1st Lt. E. P., to Neuro-Surgical School, N. Y., for inst.

King, 1st Lt. E. A., to duty as instructor in class of fractures and war surgery, Bellevue Hosp., N. Y.

Pearce, Capt. C. M., to Camp Lewis.

Ellis, Capt. T. F., to New Haven Army Gen. Hosp.

Humfreville, Capt. D. L., to Disciplinary Barracks, Alcatraz, Cal.

Clair, 1st Lt. J. B., to Ft. Riley for training.

Williams, Capt. E. W. R., assigned as med. member of junior mil. av. board at Camp Taliaferro.

Jackson, Maj. T. W., previous orders amended to read for duty as asst. to Camp Surgeon.

Stapleton, 1st Lt. W. P., to Bellevue Hosp., N. Y., for inst., then to Camp Gordon.

Signal Reserve Corps.

Following to Ellington Field:

Geisendorf, 1st Lt. L. C.

SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

Ohrstrom, G. L.
Davis, J. E.
Cary, E. A.
Parsons, J. H.
Chapin, C. G.
Dunlap, J. R., Jr.
Van Horn, H. A.

Sutton, 1st Lt. H. A.; Hunt, 1st Lt. W. J.; McAyeal, 1st Lt. J. A., and Gish, 2 Lt. D. B., to participate in flights.

Williams, Capt. D. B., to Garden City.

Franklin, 2d Lt. E. W., and Fitzsimmons, 2d Lt. R. A., to Kelly Field.

Whitehead, 1st Lt. J. R.; Butler, 1st Lt. E. E., and Hayes, 1st Lt. D. W., promoted to be Capts.

Minor, 2d Lt. G. C., to School for Radio Mechanics at Pittsburgh.

Hoopes, Capt. E. S.; Bardwell, 2d Lt. D. E., and Green, 2d Lt. A. M., to Gerstner Field.

Kellogg, 2d Lt. A. B., promoted to be 1st Lt.

Burke, Capt. E. J., previous orders amended to direct him to Camp Sevier.

Aime, 2d Lt. F. L., to Taliaferro Field.

Makepeace, Capt. F. B., Jr., will report to the Chief Sig.Off.

Sanitary Corps.

England, 1st Lt. T. M., to Army Gen. Hosp. at Ft. Sam Houston, then to his station.

Bolling, 1st Lt. G. E., to Ft. Leavenworth.

Schwarz, 1st Lt. W. T., and Bower, 1st Lt. M. L., will report to Surg. Gen.

Barton, W. M., 1st Lt., to San Fran.

Lovelly, Capt. E. A., previous orders amended to read Lovelly, Jr.

Codding, 1st Lt. L. B., to Newport News.

Siebert, 1st Lt. C. L., to this city for consultation with Surg. Gen., then to his station.

Field Artillery.

Jones, 1st Lt. W. C., 111th, to his station.

Burba, 2d Lt. G. F., Jr., 136th, to 37th N.G. Div. at Camp Sheridan.

Sansing, 1st Lt. D. M., 118th, and Carmichael, 2d Lt. B. B., 124th, to their stations.

Roberts, 1st Lt. M. M., 115th N.G., to Camp Wadsworth.

Tyson, Capt. J. W., N.G., appointed to same grade in Qm.R.C. and assigned to Camp Sherman as Qm. of Depot Brigade.

Spragins, 1st Lt. M. B., 118th, to his station.

Shepherd, 2d Lt. R. A., to School of Mil. Aeronautics, Univ. of Texas.

Engineer Reserve Corps.

Gillespie, 1st Lt. J. E., to Camp Am. Univ. with 43d Engs.

Granger, Capt. A. H., and Murchison, Capt. K. M., will report to War Industries Board.

Scott, Capt. R. S., and Nichols, 1st Lt. H. E., will report to Chief of Engs.

Minge, 1st Lt. O. L.; Parsons, 1st Lt. E. B.; Bracewell, 1st Lt. J. R.; Adams, 1st Lt. J. I.; Kittleman, 1st Lt. S. W., and Barrow, 1st Lt. G. M., assigned to 29th.

Whitney, Capt. E. F., to Camp Devens.

Seitz, 2d Lt. R. C., and Simmons, 2d Lt. S. E., will report to Director U. S. Geological Survey re mil. mapping.

Montgomery, 1st Lt. T. J., to Camp Lee as a sub-depot eng. off.

Bechlem, 2d Lt. A. W., to Camp Dix with 24th.

Signal Corps.

Palmer, Maj. R. P., assigned to cmd. 8th Field Bat.

Thomas, 1st Lt. W. G., hon. discharged.

Dental Reserve Corps.

Saletan, 1st Lt. D., to Ft. Myer with 37th Engs.

Mitchell, 1st Lt. L. G., to Wash. Barracks.

Mathison, 1st Lt. W. E., to Camp Meigs.

Stairly, 1st Lt. F. R., and O'Bannen, 1st Lt. B. B., hon. discharged.

Following promoted to be Capts.:

FIRST LIEUTENANTS.

Smith, B. H.
Swing, C. W.
Woods, P. H.
Lotz, W. E.
Buchanan, W. G.
Peeples, W. W.
Johnson, J. E.
Hickey, T. J.
Withrow, G. A.
Cannon, J. T.
Wilson, W. L.
Bush, V. I.
West, F. E.
Cashin, W. R.
Hoffman, A. A.
Anderson, A. W.
Boyle, W. E.
Blocher, E. T.
Elliott, G. H.
Masters, C. H.
McDermand, C. A.
Woods, F. R.
Ferguson, J. W.
Milstead, D. H.
Corlew, J. J.
Clark, J. F.
Lafitte, E. F.
Baker, F. C.
Haffner, L. A.
Caderetta, L. H.
Corriveau, J. A.
Cannon, G. V.
Bergan, W. M.
Carr, I. P.
Cox, J. E.
Abbott, G. N.
Bedrick, D. S.
Charron, W. A.
Davidson, W. L.
Delafield, W. P.
Anderson, M. H.
Sorenson, W.
Meyer, C. J.
Guilfoil, T. J.
Keith, J. H.
Grandage, W.
Power, T. E.
Day, F. W.
Cobb, W. B.
Lally, J. J.

Medical Corps.

Noyes, 1st Lt. E. A., to Army Gen. Hosp. at Asheville, N. C.

Banta, Lt. Col. W. P., to Walter Reed Gen. Hosp. for treatment.

Engineers.

Zellweger, 2d Lt. F., to Camp Logan.

Following promoted to be 1st Lts.:

TEMPORARY SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

Marron, O.
Routon, R. W.
Lee, J. E.
Moore, P. W.
Hillard, J. A.
Jackson, A.
Krom, L.
Snyder, W. J.

Field Artillery Reserve Corps.

Tyler, 1st Lt. G. F., appointed to grade of Maj. in Ord.R.C.

Scholle, 1st Lt. W. D., promoted to be Capt. in 77th N.A.Div.

Priest, 2d Lt. D. B.; Swenson, 2d Lt. H. J., and Jarman, 2d Lt. G. W., promoted to be 1st Lts. in 77th N.A.Div.

Banker, 1st Lt. W. R., to Camp Doniphan.

Quartermaster Corps.

Walton, 1st Lt. F. L., previous orders revoked.

Weston, 2d Lt. S. F., to Camp Meade.

Cohen, 2d Lt. S. C., to Camp Grant as asst. to Camp Qm.

Taylor, 1st Lt. W. O., will report to the Acting Qm.Gen.

Foy, Maj. W. D., will report to off. in charge of cantonment construction.

Fowler, 2d Lt. R. O., to N.Y. on official business, thence to his proper station.

Wallace, 2d Lt. C. B., to El Paso, Tex., reporting to cmdg. off. of Mech. Repair Shop Unit No. 305.

McGovern, 2d Lt. C., discharged.

Taylor, 2d Lt. H. R., promoted to be 1st Lt. in Av.Sec. of Sig.R.C.

Clark, Lt.Col. R. B., to Jeffersonville, Ind.

Peterson, Maj. G. L., to Camp Jackson as asst. to Camp Qm.

Jones, Maj. A. H., will report to Qm.Gen.

Following will report to Qm.Gen. for duty with Mech. Repair Shop Unit 306:

FIRST LIEUTENANTS.

Short, B. M.
Goldman, J. M.
Lord, J. W.

SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

Rogers, J. D.
Casse, J. E.
Stephenson, J. G.

Espenhain, Capt. F. K., to Newport News on official business, thence to his proper station.

Ayling, 1st Lt. J. C., to Ft. Omaha.

Infantry.

O'Toole, 2d Lt. H. M., 324th Machine Gun Bat.; Connelly, 2d Lt. B. F., and Stoeckel, 2d Lt. J. F., Jr., to School of Mil. Aeronautics, Univ. of Tex., for inst. as pilot.

Bush, 1st Lt. M. M., 155th Inf., to Camp Shelby.

Arrowsmith, Lt. Col. G. D., detailed as a member of the Gen. Staff Corps.

Russell, 2d Lt. W. P., and Hains, 2d Lt. L. W., to Camp Fremont with 301st Cav.

Knapp, 2d Lt. M., to Camp Wadsworth with 1st Pioneer Inf.

Following promoted to be 1st Lts.:

TEMPORARY SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

Bush, L. V.
Moore, A. J.
Hammitt, E. H.
De Diemar, R. E.
McFall, R. O.
Loomis, D. C.
Antoine, L. J.
Gross, C. W.
Foley, J.
Harris, J. C.
Dickerson, G. W.
Maxwell, W. J.
Thorn, H.
Champlin, W. G.
Carter, O. A.
Burns, D.
Casner, R. R.
Jones, R. E.
Sutton, J. C.
Mathews, L. D.
Vytlacil, O. F.
Rosendorf, O.
Gaumer, G. R.
Merica, L. W.
McCormack, M. T.
Love, W. G.
McNeely, J. W.
Warner, C. R.
Brashear, R.
Heisler, C.
Barnes, W. K.
Jacques, A. A.
Woolen, E. B.

Quartermaster Reserve Corps.

Rosenberg, Capt. F. J., to Camp Pike as Cmdg. Off. of Aux., Remount Dept. No. 317.

McIlvaine, Capt. T., to this city for conference, with acting Qm. Gen., then to his station.

Furlong, C. W., appointed a Capt. and assigned to War College Div.

Ordnance Reserve Corps.

Following will report to Chief of Ord.:

CAPTAINS.

Herkness, W.
Van Keuren, E. B.

FIRST LIEUTENANTS.

Leverich, H. S.
Hastings, A. C., Jr.
Tapping, W. G.
Baylies, H. L.
Hunt, J. L.

SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

Laird, R. W.
Bird, F. H.
Bushnell, L. A. M.
Robinson, N. A.

Tanner, 1st Lt. H. A., and Byers, 2d Lt. W. B., to Watertown Arsenal.

Smith, Maj. C. C., and Lilley, 2d Lt. G. P., relieved of previous orders.

Embick, 2d Lt. R. S., and Brownlow, 2d Lt. J. C. V., to Augusta Arsenal.

Following promoted to be Capts.:

FIRST LIEUTENANTS.

Sturges, R.
Aronson, R. H.
Berry, J. J.
Hoffman, W. J.
Wenzel, E. V.
Jones, I. N.
Kirchner, H. P.
Wheatley, J. C.
Burrage, R.
Levering, E. W.
McGovern, T. F.

Following promoted to be 1st Lts.:

SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

Howard, C. A.
Connors, F. J.
Sullivan, H. B.
Bliss, W. C.

Lockwood, Capt. A. W.; Marlow, Capt. F. S., and Aldrich, 1st Lt. J. T., will report to off. in charge of cantonment const.

LaMar, Maj. A., promoted to be Lt. Col.

Fogg, Capt. O. H.; Roberts, Capt. H. G., and Henderson, Capt. P., promoted to be Majs.

Schiller, 2d Lt. R. M., to Ord. Training School at Benicia Arsenal.

Gebhardt, 2d Lt. N. H., to Ord. Training School at Rock Island Arsenal.

Mitchell, 1st Lt. R. C., to Rock Island Arsenal.

Christian, 1st Lt. J. A., to Picatinny Arsenal.

Hines, 2d Lt. J. P., promoted to be 1st Lt.

Brown, 1st Lt. T. E., Jr., to Springfield Armory.

Lilley, 2d Lt. G. P., previous orders amended; take station at Boston.

Cavalry Reserve Corps.

Following from Camp Fremont to return to organization with which they previously served:

SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

Miller, H. R.
Jensen, A. R.
Matthews, J., Jr.
Laprade, A. T.
Parkins, W. S.
Jennings, E. P.
Carter, A. J.
Boone, H. A.
Matthews, C.
Annis, E. G.
Edmonds, A. S.
Harrison, J. S.
Hall, N.
Kirwan, J. R.
Speck, R. H.
Burch, C. O.
Eckerman, H. B.
Fake, C. W.
Helsing, P. L., Jr.

Cavalry.

Rayner, Capt. H. M., detailed as a member of the General Staff Corps.

Lisle, Capt. N. W., to West Point.

Thomas, Maj. R. M., assigned to the 2d Cav.

Following promoted to be 1st Lts.:

TEMPORARY SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

Harris, H. S.
Mack, R.
Danks, G. W.
Fisher, A. J.

Infantry Reserve Corps.

Holmes, 2d Lt. R. M., and Loudenback, 2d Lt. M. V., to School of Mil. Aeronautics, Univ. of Texas for inst. as pilots.

Dinger, 2d Lt. J. T., will report to Chief Sig. Off.

Following to Camp Jackson with 28th Depot Brigade:

McLemore, Capt. O. H.

SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

Crow, N.
Fitzpatrick, M. F.
Carlton, L. C.
Durban, E. M.
Feaster, W. L.

Miscellaneous.

Kenan, Maj. O. H., insp. Gen's R. C., previous orders revoked.

Freels, Temp. 2d Lt. T. L., and Dobson, 2d Lt. W. A., C. A., promoted to be 1st Lts.

Crabbs, Maj. J. T., U. S. A., ret., will report to Chief of Ord.

Hines, Maj. F. T., promoted to be Lt. Col.

Cravens, Maj. R. K., Adjt. Gen., detailed as Adjt. of the Army Artillery.

Sarde, 1st Lt. R. M., and Breen, 2d Lt. T. A., V. C., to Camp Green.

Following appointed 2d Lts. in Av. Sec. of Sig. R. C. and assigned to Ellington Field:

Gale, H. DeF.
Roane, J. F.
Miller, R. G.
Jacob, W. C.
Simpson, J. M.
McDuffee, W. S.
Johnston, E. G.
Ridley, O. T.

Following appointed 2d Lts. in Av. Sec. of Sig. and assigned to Gerstner Field:

Buckley, J. H.
Clark, K. L.
Barr, E. O.
Waterman, S. L.
Kinsley, E.
Teichman, H. H.
Burns, T. R.
Kendall, J. D.
Koepfgen, L. P.
Baxter, G. R.
Alvey, P.

Chisum, 1st Lt. J. Y., promoted to be Maj in the Av. Sec. of Sig. C.

Egelson, 1st Lt. L. I., appointed Chaplain-at-large and will proceed to Camp Lewis with 91st Div.

Nagle, 1st Lt. P. E., promoted to be Capt. in N.G.

Savage, 1st Lt. H. J., Inf. R.C., promoted to be Capt. in Adjt. Gen.'s Dept.

Haymes, 2d Lt. L. S., Adjt. Gen.'s Dept., promoted to be 1st Lt.

Brooker, 2d Lt. W. C., 58th Inf., assigned to Adjt. Gen.'s Dept.

Drew, 1st Lt. C. S., N.Y.R.C., and Bobo, 1st Lt. C. C., F.A.R.C., assigned to N.G.

Dorn, Temp. 2d Lt. L., previous orders revoked.

Simmons, Con. Surg. F. G., U.S.A., to home.

Dany, 2d Lt. G., Philippine Scouts, retired.

Reeves, F. H., appointed Chaplain in N.A., with rank of 1st Lt.

Following to Ft. Ethan Allen with 310th Cav., N.A., for duty:

CAPTAINS.

Birdseye, M. B.
Savee, N. S.
Robertson, C. M.
Scott, F. J.

FIRST LIEUTENANTS.

Adams, H. L.
Flatley, T. W.
Riley, W. L.
Richards, L.
Lancaster, W. C.

SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

Bliss, R. P.
Castle, K. M.
Adams, C. H.
Polje, W.
Dunn, A. A.
Pyle, J. M.

Following assigned to Av.Sec. of Sig.R.C. and will proceed to Garden City:

Rollins, 1st Lt., J. F.

SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

Andrew, F. L. A.
Fairman, E. T.
Johnson, G. P.
Keys, J. F.
Ramsey, W. W.
Reilly, F. D.
Van Buren, H. M.
Bowen, O. L.
Durand, E., Jr.
Gallagher, W. F.
Holmes, R. S.
Kennedy, C. H.
Martin, L. K.
Opperman, C. B.
Sain, J. E.
Spell, R. E.
Wilford, J. C.
Dawson, F. C.
Farmer, M. A.
Keesler, S. R., Jr.
Oatman, G. R.
Rice, B. N. H.
Stamps, L. H.
Walker, V. L.
Crews, W. W.
Eastman, F.
Giles, B. F.
Kelley, J. M., Jr.
Mack, A. F.
Meredith, G. W.
Rust, C. E.
Shapinsky, R. B.
Wlonges, P. C.
Williams, R. A.

Resignations.

Maher, Maj. J. A., Eng.R.C.

MacBeth, Capt. D. L., Eng.R.C.

Welch, Capt. J. W., 119th Inf.

Edwards, 1st Lt. E. M., 120th Inf.

Perry, P. B., 113th F. A.

Huntley, H. H., 135th F. A.

Leaves.

Sutton, Col. D. L., C. of E., 15 days.

Banister, Col. J. M., ret., 2 weeks.

Baizy, 1st Lt. C. M., previous leave granted extended until April 15.

Reber, 2d Lt. J. A., Inf. R. C., 10 days.

New Officers Commissioned.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Adjt. Gen. McCain announced today a number of appointments made in the Officers' Reserve Corps and in the national army under date of Feb. 25. The officers should telegraph acceptance of commissions, signed with full name and rank:

Wright, G. H., Capt. in Eng.Res.

Durban, T. E., Maj. in Ord.Res.

McConnell, F. A., and Sproul, E. E., 2d Lts. in Ord.Res.

Peyster, J. L., Capt. in Qm.Res.

Bradley, E. T., Maj. in Av. Sec. of Sig.Res.

McCrea, J. S., Capt. in Av. Sec. of Sig.Res.

Ewing, M., Jr., 1st Lt. in Av. Sec. of Sig.Res.

Hawkridge, L. D., and Stone, J. A., 2d Lts. in Av. Sec. of Sig.Res.

Herring, A. P., Capt. in Med.Res.

Blair, H. T.; Detrick, F. L., and Hood, R. T., 1st Lts. in Med.Res.

Bargelt, H. D., Maj. in Qm.C. of N.A.

CAPTS. IN QM. CORPS.

Shay, W. H.
Cutter, J. D.
Hall, J. F.
Maccubbin, C.
Dillingham, S.
Hansen, H.

FIRST LTS. IN QM. CORPS.

Lehr, A. M.
Fowler, E. W.
Gardner, H. F.
Kelly, T. W.
Moore, A. W.
Nicholson, B. H.
Smith, A. R.
Ulery, C.
Walsh, J. R.

SECOND LTS. IN QM. CORPS.

Bradshaw, R. H.
Weiss, H. W.
Baker, H. S.
Belanger, E. M.
Brass, G. F.
Dunn, F.
Goucher, F. B.
Hasselgren, H. R.
McMurrer, J.
Murray, J.
Nash, R.
Peckner, T.
Smith, B. F.
Wilson, J. M.

MAJS. IN R. R. TRANSP. CORPS.

Rochester, R. K.
Figures, N. G.
Taylor, H. M.
Wells, W. D.

Heyburn, G. A., Capt. in Rd. Transportation Corps.

Ballard, E. S., 1st Lt. in Rd. Transportation Corps.

Following appointments, authorized by the Sec. of War and made at the Military Schools of Aeronautics, are approved:

FIRST LIEUTS. IN AV. SEC. OF SIG. RES.

Ronne, E. M.
Seiler, F. E., Jr.

SECOND LIEUTS. IN AV. SEC. OF SIG. RES.

Burke, H. J.
Cruikshank, C. J.
Donalds, J. E.
Epp, O. C.
Hanson, H. L.
Lyon, A. J.
Mulvihill, W. H.
Nelson, S. J.
Sheffield, L. H.
Overholt, G. T.
Parker, R. C.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

A PROMINENT DEPARTMENT STORE DESIRES TO LEASE THE FOLLOWING DEPARTMENTS: FURNITURE, CHINA, MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING. WOULD ONLY CONSIDER LEASING TO VERY RESPONSIBLE CONCERNS AND FOR A TERM OF YEARS. Z 291 TIMES ANNEX.

New York corporation whose experts have been reduced on account of war conditions would consider proposition in domestic trade requiring small capital; business must be of a kind that war conditions will not disturb, and party introducing it must be willing to work on a profit-sharing basis; only letters conveying a clear idea of the proposition will be taken into consideration. J 350 Times Downtown.

Hardware and electric, old-established store; best city location; sell at inventory; have made sufficient and wish to retire; will stand thorough investigation; big profits. Room 926, 5 Beaver St.

Established manufacturing concern, stands investigation, needs additional capital, $5,000 to $10,000, on account of large orders; offers in writing. R. Feiler, 1,551 Avenue A.

Insurance office has real estate clientele; opportunity for real estate man of ability to take over this department; send particulars in first letter. B 382 Times Downtown.

Want business man with $5,000 to $10,000, enlarging well-established growing export business; permanent position. Telephone, 2 to 4, 2560 Cortlandt.

Accountant, commercial experience, desires to join established wholesale business; can make liberal investment; replies treated confidentially. J 329 Times Downtown.

Corner, magnificent suits, 6 offices, 12 outside windows; $160. 110 West 40th.

For Sale.—Attractive rooming house; electric lights; $245 over rent. 110 West 81st St.

YOUNG MAN, reliable, first class references, going to Russia, offers services. K 6 Times.

Estates Appraised.

BEAMAN, HATTIE S., Cornish, N. H., (May 4, 1917.) Total estate, $528,679, of which $17,067 is taxable in New York. The New York estate consists of 112 East Thirty-first Street, valued at $25,000, equity $10,975, and personalty, $6,945. The New York estate is divided between her son and daughters, William E. Beaman of Cornish, Mary S. Holmes of 296 Beacon Street, Boston; Helen B. Lakin of Scarsdale, N. Y., and Margaret B. Erikson of Seattle.

CRAWFORD, CHARLES G., of Wynkoop-Hallenbeck-Crawford Company, (July 11, 1916.) Total assets, $279,247. Net assets: Cash, $58,525; personal, $43,490, in which is included a collection of small articles of antique silver; stocks, and bonds, $177,231, the larger holdings being 1,300 shares of common stock of United States Steel, $109,525; 100 shares of Wynkoop-Hallenbeck-Crawford Company, $31,160, and five holdings listed as being of no value, chiefly Sunnyfield Mining and Milling Company and 2,779 shares of preferred stock of Investors' Finance Company of Colorado. The entire estate is left to the widow, Vandelia B. Crawford of Bretton Hall.

HOFFMAN, ALEXANDER E., (Sept. 3, 1917.) Total assets, $213,447. Assets: Real estate, 149 Water Street, $23,500; cash, $5,736; personal, $6,961; stocks and bonds, $177,250. Beneficiaries: Mount Sinai Hospital, Home for Aged and Infirm Hebrews, Hebrew Infant Asylum and United Hebrew Charities, $2,500 each; brother, Joseph E. Hoffman of 1,000 Park Avenue, $98,651; sisters, Mathilde Veith and Emma Rosenwald, both of Hotel Essex, $49,325 each.

O'LOUGHLIN, MAC ROY, (Jan. 30, 1917.) Total assets, $233,697. Assets: Real estate, $4,000; cash, $29,559; personal, $5,990; stocks and bonds, $90,226; interest in Salisbury, O'Loughlin & Worth, stock brokers, $76,421; membership in the New York Cotton Exchange, $17,500. Beneficiaries: Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario, $1,500; Robert R. O'Loughlin, $60,052; Gerald S. O'Loughlin, Gladys M. Livingston, all of 702 St. Nicholas Avenue, and Nora E. Atkins of Maplewood, N. J., $50,052 each; eight relatives and friends received bequests of from $500 to $3,000 each.

Wills for Probate.

SALZER, LEOPOLD, (Jan. 23.) Value of estate more than $300,000. His three sons and his daughter are his heirs. To Arthur Salzer is left $100,000 and to Edwin W. and Herbert D. Salzer $100,000 each and a one-third interest in the residuary estate. Josephine Ullman of 574 West End Avenue gets the other third of the residuary estate.

THOMSON, WILLIAM H., (Jan. 18.) His son, Herbert G. Thomson of 810 Park Avenue, gets all his stock in the Anchor Post Iron Works, a New Jersey corporation, and his daughter, Evelyn M. Thomson of 71 Central Park West, receives all his residuary estate. The two children are named as the executors and trustees of the estate, the value of which is not stated.

The Civil Service,

City.

There are more than 140 applicants for the position of typewriter copyist, male and female. Seventy-nine persons have applied for the position of telephone operator, male.

United States.

The commission announces for March 19 an examination for plasterer, for men. A vacancy in the office of the Auditor for the Post Office Dept., Wash., at $75 a month will be filled from this examination. Competitors will not be required to report for examination at any place, but will be rated on physical ability, training, and experience. Applicants must show that they have served an apprenticeship or the equivalent as plasterers. They must have reached their twentieth birthday on the date of the examination. Further information may be obtained from the commission, Washington, D. C.

THE WEATHER

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The intense cyclone of the last twenty-four hours has reached the mouth of the St. Lawrence River with a central pressure of 28.82 inches. Fresh to strong northwest gales have been experienced in the last twenty-four hours in the Middle Atlantic States and New England and the lower lake region. A second depression is centred over Eastern Colorado. As yet it is without precipitation of consequence, but is attended by warmer weather, especially over Texas and the Southwest.

Precipitation in the last twenty-four hours has been confined to New England, the Middle Atlantic and the North Pacific Coast States.

Temperature has fallen from 20 to 30 degrees over a wide area, extending from the St. Lawrence Valley southwestward to Texas and the East Gulf States. In this region the temperature Tuesday evening was less than 5 degrees below the seasonal average. Over the Plains States and upper Mississippi Valley there has been a considerable rise in temperature.

Fair weather with slight temperature changes are the general indication for the Washington forecast district for the next forty-eight hours, although it will become warmer Wednesday in the upper Ohio Valley and the lake region and probably in Atlantic Coast districts Thursday night or Friday, while scattered rains and higher temperatures are probable Thursday in the East Gulf States, Tennessee, and the lower Ohio Valley.

Winds for Wednesday and Thursday along the North Atlantic Coast will be moderate west gales with fair weather; Middle Atlantic Coast, fresh west winds, fair; South Atlantic Coast, moderate northwest to north winds, fair.

FORECASTS TODAY AND THURSDAY.

Eastern New York, New Jersey, and Eastern Pennsylvania.—Fair Wednesday and Thursday, not much change in temperature.

New England.—Fair Wednesday and Thursday, continued cold.

Western New York.—Generally fair and somewhat warmer Wednesday. Thursday fair.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at 11 P. M., taken from the thermometer at the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

	1917.	1918.		1917.	1918.
3 A. M.	33	46	4 P. M.	49	3
6 A. M.	36	51	6 P. M.	50	35
9 A. M.	39	36	9 P. M.	52	34
12 M.	40	36	11 P. M.	51	33

This thermometer is 414 feet above the street level. The average temperature yesterday was 42; for the corresponding date last year it was 42; average on the corresponding date for the last thirty-three years, 32.

The temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday was 39; at 8 P. M. it was 34. Maximum temperature, 51 degrees, at 5:55 A. M.; minimum, 33 degrees, at 10 P. M. Humidity, 52 per cent. at 8 A. M.; 38 per cent. at 8 P. M.

The barometer at 8 A. M. yesterday registered 29.19 inches; at 8 P. M. it stood at 29.79 inches.

Shipping News.

Miniature Almanac for Today.

[By the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey.]

Sun rises..6:36|Sun sets..5:44|Moon rises..7:45

THE TIDES.

	High Water. A.M.	High Water. P.M.	Low Water. A.M.	Low Water. P.M.
Sandy Hook	8:34	8:56	2:36	2:55
Governors Island	8:59	9:19	3:07	3:26
Hell Gate	10:57	11:07	5:22	5:29

Fire Record.

A.M. Loss.
12:10—122 5 Av.; Kaufmann & Strauss Co. ... Slight
4:10—824 St. Nicholas Av.; Herberson & Co. ... Slight
4:20—99 John St.; Barber Jewelry Co. ... Not given
6:15—15 W. 20 St.; Savoy Art Lamp Co. ... Not given
7:10—214 E. 41 St.; R. E. Kelley ... Slight
8:30—56 W. 10 St.; Mary Appleton ... Not given
8:30—21 McCombs Pl.; not given ... Slight
P.M.
12:35—161 1 Av.; William Roth ... $40
1:00—1,294 Washington Av.; H. Sinagen ... $1,000
1:30—47 Madison St.; B. Saser ... Slight
2:30—8 Centre Market Pl.; Salvatore Estanella ... Slight
3:45—208 St. & Harlem River, (house-boat;) Edward Botaford ... Slight
3:50—127 Ludlow St.; J. E. Idala ... Slight
4:00—238 2 St.; Samuel Schear ... Slight
4:50—346 E. 4 St.; S. Wengler ... Slight
6:00—249 Eldridge St.; Mary Erschelesky ... Slight
6:30—68 Av. A; Jacob Kolls ... Slight
7:40—1,593 3 Av.; M. Comora ... Slight
9:30—10 E. 62 St.; E. Baylis ... Slight
9:35—1,455 St. Nicholas Av.; A. Weisl ... Slight

Police and Fire News.

Police Department.

Advancements to $1,400 grades to take effect March 2: Patrol. G. R. Mauch, 2; J. J. Maloney, 16; Henry Graebner, 25; J. M. Dynan, 26; C. A. Haasis, 26; Anthony McNulty, 28; G. B. Mooney, 28; Thomas Lorigan, 28; Stephen Campbell, 28; Herbert Vail, 32; Frederick Rauch, 32; M. F. Curtin, 32; L. F. Ryan, 63; S. F. Mazurkiewicz, 143; V. Koch, 152; F. A. Wanek, 153; C. F. Nohrenberg, 153; Otto Erbar, 153; Edward Herd, 159; Francis Merahon, 160; P. J. Keenan, 168; W. J. L. Duffy, 170; D. J. Haviland, 172; Charles Nagel, 174; G. A. Stoffers, 274; D. J. Case, marine; G. J. Doerr, motor cycle 2; Henry Storz, motor cycle 2; T. M. Reilly, Traffic D; G. A. Fuchs, Traffic E; John Quagliano, 4; Enrico Gaudioso, 21; Michael Faciglione, 26; Frank W. Hopp, 26; Michael O'Keefe, 28; P. T. McGough, 28; Cornelius Marzen, 28; Joseph Koenig, 28; C. H. Weiss, 32; Edward Tuman, 32; E. S. D. Porter, 32; Thomas Connolly, 32; M. P. McDonough, 43; M. J. Sullivan, 149; W. J. Viegele, 153; H. E. Parrott, 153; P. C. Manning, 153; Robert Boles, 153; Hugh O'Donnell, 160; W. J. Sarvis, 161; M. J. Clifford, 167; J. G. Pittschau, 171; J. M. Carroll, 174; William Petersohn, 277; Albert McDonald, Traffic C; W. J. Seegar, Traffic C; W. F. Bloch, Traffic D; H. R. Kelly, Eighth District; J. P. McGannon, bridge defense. To take effect March 8: W. J. McKeever, 2; J. F. Shea, 26; E. T. O'Connor, 28; M. J. Tracy, 32; C. E. Feiler, 42; J. J. McDonald, 152; W. R. Leach, 168; J. H. Westervelt, Central Office; T. J. Cassidy, Fourth District; William Schmidt, 18; W. J. Porter, 28; August Kunze, 28; Henry Thimmel, 32; Stanislaus Kieturkiewcz, 143; W. F. Pfankuch, 166; M. J. Dobson, 169; J. Howley, Traffic C; J. J. Quinliven, Sixth District.

Leave of absence, without pay—Patrol. Edward Stoll, 25, for one day from 12:01 A. M., March 7.

Sick leave—Patrol. William Quinn, 145, 90 days, from 8 A. M., Feb. 28.

Application for full pay while on sick report approved—Patrol. Michael Steinmetz, 285, from 3:50 P. M., Jan. 14, to noon, F.b. 14.

Fire Department.

Advancements to second grade to take effect March 16: J. V. Gray, Eng. 1; J. J. Geary, Eng. 10; A. B. Troge, Eng. 13; D. E. Ayres, Eng. 15; P. A. Brennan, Eng. 18; Owen Farrelly, Eng. 26; H. A. Hoffmann, Eng. 27; Kenneth Hardy, Eng. 28; L. A. Chacon, Eng. 33; J. A. Monnett, Eng. 34; W. F. Schaumeyer, Eng. 91; M. J. Grennan, Eng. 206; F. W. Benz, Eng. 214; C. W. Ottmer, Eng. 215; Adolph Voehringer, Eng. 235; D. F. Russell, Eng. 239; E. W. Stromberg, Eng. 241; W. F. J. Gramm, Eng. 243; William Phillips, Eng. 252; M. J. Landmann, Eng. 271; John Lynch, H. & L. 1; T. P. Dunn, H. & L. 5; J. J. Doolan, H. & L. 11; W. L. Drescher, H. & L. 20; H. H. Michaels, H. & L. 21; George Stickels, H. & L. 22; Roderick McDonald, H. & L. 23; W. V. Craig, H. & L. 44; S. S. McCready, H. & L. 116. To third grade, to take effect March 16: W. C. Riedy, Eng. 9; J. J. Mulligan, No. 3, Eng. 12; S. E. Phelan, Eng. 18; J. F. Gunner, Eng. 22; J. J. Cantwell, Eng. 25; T. F. Quinn, Eng. 44; W. A. J. Tierney, Eng. 91; J. J. Cannon, Eng. 208; A. G. Stilwell, Eng. 219; C. W. Frevele, Eng. 251; Myles McHugh, H. & L. 2; W. L. Treisner, H. & L. 11; Walter Marquardt, H. & L. 106. Second grade, to take effect March 21: P. S. Reynolds, Eng. 19; Jacob Metzger, Eng. 231; L. F. Fullam, H. & L. 9. Third grade, to take effect March 21: J. J. Volk, Eng. 12; H. J. Lupien, H. & L. 104. To second grade, to take effect March 28: C. F. Kennedy, Eng. 3.

Designation: Fireman, first grade, John Snyder, H. & L. Co. 126, as Acting Lieut., to take effect 8 A. M., Feb. 27.

Retired: Capt. John Walker of H. & L. 23, on an annual pension of $1,400, to take effect 8 A. M., March 1; Engineer of Steamer J. F. Dudley, Eng. 209, on an annual pension of $900, to take effect 8 A. M., March 1; Fireman, first grade, J. F. Baker, Eng. 258, on an annual pension of $750, to take effect 8 A. M., March 1.

Fined: Fireman, first grade, Anthony Kammerer, H. & L. 1, $5 for loss of Coat Badge No. 1872.

Education Notes.

Under the auspices of the Federation for Child Study, at 2 West Sixty-fourth Street, a course of lectures is being given on Wednesdays at 3:45 P. M. by Professor Earl Barnes. On March 6 he will speak on "Training of the Child in His Responsibilities to His Social Environment."

The Brooklyn Branch of the City College announces a new course in citizenship to be given by Professor A. G. Fradenburgh of Adelphi College. The class will meet for the first time tomorrow at 7:30 P. M. at the Boys' High School. There will be a small fee in order to pay expenses.

The attention of Principals, teachers, and parents is called to the fact that all children and adults suffering from speech defects will receive free instruction at the Brooklyn Clinic for Speech Correction. The clinic is held on Tuesdays at 3:45 P. M. in the Brooklyn Training School for Teachers.

Charles A. Bohlen has been appointed a member of the local School Board of District 9, Manhattan. Mrs. Joseph Sinclair and Francis N. Schleicher have been appointed members of local School Boards of Districts 43 and 41, Queens, respectively.

The Board of Education at its meeting today will act on the nomination by the Board of Superintendents of Thomas O. Baker as a District Superintendent.

The Alumnae Association of P. S. 170 will meet at the school, 111th Street, east of Lenox Avenue, on March 1.

EXPECTS OUR ARMIES TO END WAR IN 1919

French General Looks for Big Offensive in Spring, Final Victory in Fall.

PARIS, Jan. 31, (Associated Press.)—France, Great Britain, and Italy must grit their teeth and hang on until the Spring of 1919, because not until then can America be expected to throw real strength into the field, strength great enough to undertake offensives and batter independently at the Germans with armies the size of those which the Allies have been using, in the opinion of a French divisional General, as given to The Associated Press. Having begun the onslaught, fully prepared, more than a year hence, the Americans will prove, he believes, the deciding factor, and they will bring the war to its close about the Fall of 1919. He holds high hopes of the American troops already in France, whom he has seen repeatedly and at close quarters, as the saviors of the allied cause.

The General, who wears service stripes to show his participation in the war since the beginning, and three wound stripes to denote injuries sustained while in the front trenches visiting and getting acquainted with his men, sketched the situation and his impression of the Americans. Though he did not say so categorically, he gave the impression that his opinion was in general that of the French military authorities.

"The American troops," he said in answer to a question, "are entitled to the highest praise for the ability they have shown and are showing, for the speed with which they are learning. To me it seems as though one of the most hopeful things about them is the fact that, while they have supreme confidence in their own value and ability, they are nevertheless not overconfident. Their leaders, especially, have shown and are showing a willingness to learn.

"This spirit should not be underestimated. Both the French and the English have had to take bitter lessons since the beginning of the war, and at huge costs have learned things that they now can pass along to the Americans. It is a good sign that the latter are willing to profit by the experience.

"I haven't any illusions that the Americans are going to be able to get into full action this Spring, as was so heralded last year. I know and appreciate all the difficulties that stand in the way of their putting a big army into the field quickly, and I don't look to see them in a position to undertake offensives and similar telling operations before the Spring of 1919.

"Until that time France, England, and Italy must grit their teeth and hang on. When the time does come, however, I feel sure the Americans will be strong enough to strike decisively, and for that reason I hope and expect that the war will be over in the Fall of next year."

LOST AND FOUND.

Fifty cents an agate line.

LOST—Between entrance to Pennsylvania Station and Long Island Railroad, or in taxicab, mink cape scarf; gift from deceased parent; mark on brown lining "Kumke"; liberal reward. Telephone Cortlandt 1353.

LOST—A black pin seal wallet, containing notes and papers, sum of money. Please return wallet, notes, papers, 215 West 51st St., Apt. 39.

LOST—Valuable sapphire and diamond barpin in Shubert Theatre or vicinity, Feb. 20; reward $50. Telephone Plaza 2408, Mrs. de Geigne.

LOST—Carved ivory earring, Tuesday, Feb. 19, probably between 61st St. and Broadway and 53d St. and Lexington; return to Sinclair Hamilton, Room 1522, 49 Wall St.; reward.

LOST—Between 12:30 and 1 o'clock Friday morning, possibly in taxicab between Hotel Astor and Grand Central Station, a mink skin cape. Please return to James V. Barry, 7 Madison Av. Reward.

LOST—Sunday evening, $45, between Broadway and West End Av., 98th St.; liberal reward. Return Superintendent, 254 West 98th St.

LOST—Lady's gold Waltham watch; heavily chased, closed case; initialed M. D. B. outside; monogrammed M. L. D. B. inside; crystal missing; reward. R 28 Times.

LOST—Saturday evening, pair of amber-rimmed spectacles; oculist's name "Squires, Cleveland." Call Mrs. Vaughan, Columbus 6979.

LOST—Monday, flat skunk muff, between Hearn's and Larchmont; lost Thursday, gold barpin, set with cameo and pearls; rewards. Room 807, 14 Wall St.

LOST—Between Waldorf-Astoria and Penn. Station, black purse containing money, key, and railroad ticket to Wynnewood, Penn. Reward. Cashier Waldorf-Astoria.

LOST—Saturday, opal ring, ladies' room over Wertheimer's store, on Concourse; Red Cross worker; reward. Phone Intervale 1221.

LOST—Between Washington Market and Wanamaker's, gold watch bracelet; reward, $20. Apply Gentles, 210 Produce Exchange.

LOST—Scarfpin. Would lady kindly communicate Monday with C. B. Martin, 170 5th Av.? Telephone Gramercy 3063. Reward.

LOST—Sunday afternoon, between 56th and 77th, Lexington and Madison Avs., lavender silk knitted scarf. Telephone 73 Spring.

LOST—Large brown fur muff, 5th Av. stage, afternoon, Feb. 22, 31st St., near 5th Av. Willard, 52 West 39th St.

LOST—Six first Liberty Loan certificates. Address Federal Reserve Bank, 120 Broadway.

LOST—Somewhere between New York and Brooklyn, diamond barpin, containing 20 stones; liberal reward. Phone South 7365.

LOST—Skunk muff, in 10th Av. or 42d St. trolley car, Friday night; reward. Mrs. Lee, Theatre De Vieux Colombier.

LOST—On Saturday evening, at the 44th St. Theatre, lady's fur scarf. Reward. Telephone Forsyth 9280.

LOST—Pin flag, consisting of rubies, diamonds, and sapphires. Reward. 7646 River.

LOST—Feb. 23, natural color paradise aigrette; reward. Atlas, 450 4th Av.

LOST—Adams Express book. Kindly return to Goldberg & Rosenblatt, 137 West 25th.

LOST—Amethyst pin; initials A. R. W., H. C. W. Telephone Wells, 4260 Stuyvesant.

$25 REWARD to finder of black silk handbag, containing money, gold watch, keys, and papers, valuable only to owner; lost Feb. 21, Rivoli Theatre; finder can keep money and receive additional reward. K 7 Times.

Found.

FOUND—Feb. 24, gentleman's diamond ring. Hotel Claridge.

Lost and Found—Cats and Dogs.

LOST—White Maltese poodle; stub tail, black nose; answers to name of Valyo; liberal reward. S. L., 895 West End Av., Apt. 74, Academy 2585.

LOST—Gray cat, white front, white paws; name Mehitabel; reward. Searle, 448 Riverside Drive. Morningside 8079.

REWARD $150.

Lost—Small, all white, West Highland terrier dog, male; long hair, long body, short legs, pointed ears; answering to name of Mac; $150 reward for return or information leading to its return. Miss A. B. Jennings, 49 Park Av. Phone Murray Hill 1484.

$25 REWARD—Strayed, young female collie. Telephone Farragut 5059. 197 10th Av.

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HURRICANE SWEEPS CITY, TWO KILLED

Two Others Believed Dead and Thirty Men, Women, and Children Hurt.

BLOWS 81 MILES AN HOUR

Persons Blown Against Buildings and Into the Bay—Property Loss Will Exceed $1,000,000.

In the hurricane which swept New York and the vicinity yesterday, two men were killed, two others reported missing are believed to be dead, while about thirty persons, including a score of women and children, were injured. Damage done by the wind, which included the sinking of several ships in the harbor, the demolition of a three-story brick building, the uprooting of telegraph poles, the overturning of wagons and the killing of several horses, and the destruction of hundreds of plate glass windows in stores and private dwellings all over the city, was estimated by the police last night at upward of a million dollars.

The Dead.

SWANSON, AUGUST, carpenter, 20 Warren Place, Newark.
BAKER, Captain Frederick R. J., Elizabeth, N. J.; drowned in Kill van Kull.

The Missing.

TURNBULL, Captain J., of the British steamship Colgiass Castle.
HUGHES, WILLIAM, machinist on board tug Happy.

The More Severely Injured.

MAHRT, RUDOLPH, patrolman, Traffic Squad C; abrasions and contusions.
ELSON, ROSE, stenographer, 427 West Fortieth Street; sprained ankle and contusions.
FREEDMAN, SAMUEL, Captain Engine Company 7; lacerations.
MITCHELL, A. C., Superintendent of Barge Office; immersion.
ADAMS, JOHN, 124 East 120th Street; lacerations of the head.
SAVINO, ROCCO, laborer, 230 Mulberry Street; possible fracture of skull.
YOUNG, EDWIN W., cashier, 601 West 176th Street; fractured nose and contusions on right arm.
BERKSTROM, NILS, lighter Captain; immersion and shock.
CUNNINGHAM, JAMES, engineer on tug St. Patrick; immersion, shock, and contusions.
SIMMS, J. A., Captain of tug St. Patrick; immersion.

Of the injured the majority were hurt by flying débris loosened from roofs and building walls by the wind. A number of persons were blown with great force against the sides of buildings. Two men were blown into the bay from the shore, and were rescued with difficulty.

According to the Weather Bureau report, New York was on the southern edge of the storm, and the officials say that the loss of life and property would have been infinitely greater had the city felt the extreme force of it. As it was the storm came from the northwest, and its greatest density was developed in the region of the Great Lakes. Storm signals were sent out by the bureau Monday night, but nobody dreamed the wind would reach the velocity it did.

Wind Followed Downpour.

The hurricane began early yesterday morning after the city had been drenched by a downpour which was extraordinarily heavy for this season of the year. At about 3:30 the rain stopped, and almost immediately the wind commenced. Before daylight it was blowing at a rate of fifty to sixty-five miles an hour. At 7:30 the velocity had increased to seventy miles, and at 8 o'clock the Weather Bureau reported that New York was in the grip of a hurricane, with the wind blowing eighty-one miles an hour.

August Swanson, a carpenter employed on the buildings being erected by the Quartermaster's Corps for the army in Newark, was on the roof of Warehouse 4, when a sudden gust of wind caused him to lose his balance and fall to the concrete paving below. He landed on his feet, but pitched forward, fracturing his skull on the pavement. He died later at St. Michael's Hospital.

Both the missing men are believed by the police to have been drowned. Captain Turnbull of the British ship Colglass was on board the tug St. Patrick, which sank immediately after colliding with a submerged wreck off the battery at noon yesterday. William Hughes, a machinist, was accustomed to sleep on board the tug Happy, owned by James Shuwans & Sons, which was tied up in forty feet of water in the Erie Basin. The Happy was capsized and sunk early yesterday morning by a sudden gust. It is believed that Hughes was drowned in his bunk before he had time to escape. Divers late last night reported that they could not locate his body.

The falling of the walls of a three-story brick building at 21 Lispenard Street showed the tremendous force of the wind. The building is occupied by the Manhattan Packing Case Company and is an old structure. At 9 o'clock yesterday Harry Stein, one of the firm, and an employe, Joseph Varponi, living at 291 West Broadway, were on the ground floor of the building when the front door blew in. The two men ran forward to shut the door and for a moment were unable to make headway against the power of the hurricane. As they strained and pulled at the door the building began to sway, with a creaking and groaning that sounded above the noise of the wind.

"Jump back!" yelled Stein. "I think the front wall is going to cave!"

The words were hardly out of his mouth before the front walls from the roof to the ground fell outward with a crash, sending bricks, mortar, and packing cases tumbling out into the street. An office of the New York Telephone Exchange opposite was hit by the débris and had several windows broken. Neither Stein nor Varponi was hurt.

The greatest force of the hurricane was felt near the Battery shortly after 8 o'clock yesterday morning. Pedestrians could not make headway against the wind. Huge waves from the bay broke over the sea wall and the police ordered all persons away from that locality.

While walking along the narrow streets in the skyscraper district was extremely difficult everywhere, on Broadway just in front of the Woolworth Building the wind blew with extraordinary force. Miss Rose Elson, a 15-year-old stenographer, of 427 West Fortieth Street, and Miss Violet Cully, 14 years old, of 510 West Fortieth Street, were blown half across the street by the wind. Miss Elson's ankle was sprained and Miss Cully's arm was hurt. They were suffering from shock as well when picked up and were attended by an ambulance surgeon from the Hudson Hospital. They were sent home.

Hurled to the Ground.

Several other pedestrians walking down Broadway were caught by the gusts at this corner and hurled to the ground, none, however, being injured. A half dozen loaded trucks were overturned here, and finally the situation became so serious that Captain John P. Leary of the Greenwich Street Station ordered the sidewalk on Broadway, from Barclay Street to Park Place, roped off.

Emma Beantel of 142 Popular Street, Ridgefield Park, N. J., was thrown against the building at 150 Cedar Street and hurt so badly she had to be taken to Volunteer Hospital. From the top of the five-story loft building at 524 Canal Street an advertising sign, 25 feet high and nearly 100 feet long, constructed of cast iron and steel, was blown to the ground, carrying in its fall bricks, mortar, and coping stones, some of the latter weighing as much as fifty pounds. Passing at the time was Captain Samuel Freedman of Engine Company No. 7, located on Duane Street. He was cut and bruised. Mrs. Anna Rich of 43 West Sixty-sixth Street was passing at the same time and received similar injuries. A horse and wagon owned by Jacob Pincus of 183 Third Street was standing in front of the building when the sign fell, and the massive steel frame crushed the animal. Its sufferings were ended by a shot from the pistol of Policeman Kerrigan of the Beach Street Station.

Patrolman Rudolph Mahrt of Traffic Squad C, living at 110 Hamilton Avenue, Brooklyn, was injured yesterday while on duty at Fifty-eighth Street and Broadway. He was going to the assistance of a woman struggling to cross Broadway in the teeth of the gale when a sudden blast threw him to the ground. He suffered contusions and abrasions of the knee and had to be relieved from duty.

The wind carried down a line of poles carrying telephone, telegraph, and electric light wires between Jamaica Junction and Locust Avenue on New York Avenue yesterday, blocking traffic for several hours. Two cars were caught between the poles, but none of the passengers nor crew were hurt. Two drivers, Patrick Kelly and Philip Carello, were struck by the falling poles, suffering broken collarbones. A new dwelling house, owned by William Delano of 160 Third Street, Union Course, the windows of which had not been placed, was blown down at Howard Place, Union Course, Queens, yesterday.

In addition to the tug Happy, which sank at her moorings in the Erie Basin, the tug St. Patrick hit the wreck of a coal barge, sunk earlier in the day by the storm, and went to the bottom. Captain Simms and her crew were thrown into the bay, and were rescued by the crew of a Baltimore & Ohio Railroad tug. The worst injured was James Cunningham, the engineer, who, in addition to his immersion in the icy waters of the harbor, was badly bruised. It was in this accident that Captain Turnbull is believed to have lost his life.

At Mariner's Harbor, Staten Island, Captain Frederick R. J. Baker, 64 years of age, of Elizabeth, N. J., was blown from his coal barge and drowned in the Kill Van Kull. During the worst of the blow in the afternoon Captain Baker got a rope and was about to make the barge more secure to its pier when a gust of wind caught him and hurled him into the water. His body was recovered later.

Nils Berkstrom, Captain of the lighter Rose Berg, stood up on the deck of his boat to look at the weather. He was lifted bodily by the wind and hurled into the bay. A workman leaped after him and pulled him out. The Captain was taken to the Norwegian Hospital. A. C. Mitchell, Superintendent of the United States Barge Office at the Battery, stood on a bulkhead to untangle some signal halyards. He was thrown into the water and swam out unaided.

Larger ships anchored off Stapleton and Tompkinsville put out double anchors to hold. Most held, but two schooners, which were more exposed to the force of the wind, were driven halfway across the Narrows by the wind. Yesterday's storm, while it didn't set a record for velocity of the wind, came near it, according to the Weather Bureau. The high mark was set exactly six years ago, on Feb. 26, 1912, when the wind blew ninety-six miles an hour.

ONE MAN KILLED IN JERSEY.

Brick Walls Thrown Down by Storm at Raritan Ordnance Terminal

Special to The New York Times.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Feb. 26.—One man was killed and four were seriously injured at the Raritan Ordnance Terminal at Bonham, a town near here, this morning when brick walls, first of the carriage and then of the munitions buildings in course of construction, collapsed during the storm which swept northern New Jersey today. Tons of brick fell upon Philip Moscowich of 548 St. Paul Place, New York City, crushing out his life. Henry Hansen, also of New York, is in St. Peter's Hospital with a fractured skull and is not expected to live. Three others are confined to the Middlesex General Hospital, the most seriously injured being Jerome Valenki of New Rochelle, N. Y.

Major Conard, in charge of the Government work at the terminal, declared that the accidents were due to the heavy gale of wind. The two accidents did not happen at the same time. The carriage building walls were the first to fall and half an hour afterward the wall of the munition building came down. Several thousand dollars' worth of damage was done. All those injured were civilian workmen, none of the thousand soldiers at the depot being in the vicinity of the accident.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad car repair shop at Perth Amboy was blown down by the heavy wind yesterday morning. Five workmen were caught in the ruins and injured so that they needed medical attention, but all went home. In Hoboken the wind lifted the cover of a roof scuttle and dropped it into the playground of Public School No. 2, hitting Joseph Sheehan, 12 years old, of 8 Gorden Street. Doctors at St. Mary's Hospital fear his injuries will prove fatal.

John Bliebér, 38, of 130 Oraton Street, Newark, a driver, was blown from his seat on a coal wagon in that city. The wheels passed over his body, injuring him severely.

SEES HARM IN RELIEF BILL.

Senator Brown Says Nicoll-Meyer Measure Would Legalize Theft.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Feb. 26.—Senator Brown in debate today denounced the Nicoll-Meyer bill, empowering Directors of corporations, organized under the laws of the State, to contribute from its surplus property or assets for war relief purposes, as an attempt to legalize theft. Senator Nicoll, sponsor for the bill in the upper house, had just announced that the measure had been drafted by ex-Judge Ingraham and Henry P. Davison of Morgan & Co.

"I have the utmost respect for both the men who drafted this bill and its sponsors in the Legislature," said the Senate leader. "I admire greatly what Mr. Davison is doing for the Red Cross. But I never saw a piece of legislation more typical of a decadent citizenship than this bill.

"This bill is an attempt to commit a crime in the name of liberty and law. It offends my sense of justice as a lawyer, as a man, as a citizen, and a patriot. It is Bolshevik in its conception, and should have a Bolshevist end."

The companion bill passed the Assembly without a murmur of dissent several days ago. Several Senators after listening to Senator Brown were for quick action, but Senator Cullen of Kings intervened and Senator Nicoll was permitted to lay his bill aside to save it from humiliating defeat.

POKER CLUB'S KITTY ALL WENT FOR FOOD

President of the Partridges Gives List of Members and Hotels Where They Played.

A RECENT DINNER COST $700

District Attorney Promises Important Arrest Today in Gambling Inquiry.

George Y. Bauchle, President of the Partridge Club, which is under investigation by the District Attorney's office because of allegations that the club is purely and simply a gambling organization, took the stand yesterday in the John Doe inquiry into gambling and vice conditions in New York before Judge Wadhams in Part 4, Special Sessions, and told the history of the club from its beginning. Mr. Bauchle, who made his statement voluntarily, waiving immunity, gave a list of members of the club and their meeting places during the last fifteen years.

In addition to Mr. Bauchle several hotel men were called to testify, among them being Theodore Tietze, assistant manager of the Ritz-Carlton; Eugene D. Miller of the Biltmore, and James O. Stack, manager of the Imperial.

Mr. Miller, Secretary of the company which operates the Biltmore, told of sessions of the Olympic Club at the Biltmore which ended last May when Captain Duggan informed the Biltmore management that the club was a gambling organization. Mr. Tietze testified that sessions of the Olympics were discontinued after one of the waiters had told him the members were playing Chemin de Fer.

Samuel Segar, who testified on Monday, was recalled to the stand for a short time yesterday.

Mr. Bauchle appeared late in the afternoon after many efforts on his part to persuade the District Attorney to allow him to testify. He related how the Partridge Club had grown from an organization of a few members who met for an informal game of cards once in a while at each other's homes to an organization with regular weekly meetings at various hotels and monthly dinners, the price of which, $15 or $20 a plate, was defrayed from "kitties" collected during the play.

"The Partridge Club began, I should say, in 1903," said Bauchle. "At that time there were a few men who liked to get together once in a while for a game of poker. The playing was done at the various players' houses. Later, however, we found that the bachelors could not afford to entertain as the ladies did, and so we decided to go to a hotel. We first went to the Astor. We went there about three years, and after that to the Chatsworh Apartments, then to Rector's, and still later to the Knickerbocker.

"At the Knickerbocker we met Mr. Stack. Later we went to the Holland House, the Ritz, and finally to the Imperial. I had an understanding with Mr. Stack that we would go to whatever hotel he was connected with."

Mr. Bauchle went on to say that the Partridge Club was a club only in name.

"We used to order partridges," he said, "and that is how we came to be known as the Partridge Club. I have always been known as President, although there is no real organization. There was never a nickel made by any one out of the kitties. At 11:30 each night after a dinner the cost of the meal was figured up, including the wine, and the kitty was taken to pay for it."

"Who attended the weekly sessions?" Mr. Bauchle was asked.

"The men who attended the weekly sessions and who made all arrangements," he answered, "were Emil Herz, B. A. Jacobs, Jr., Peter Schmuck, J. H. O'Brien, Harry A. Steinberg, Charles A. Krickle, Andrew J. Joyner, Arthur Herbert, Richard Vitolo, A. J. Gertenback, Walter C. Allen and Joel Jacobs.

"The following is the list of those from whom guests for the monthly sessions were selected: H. M. Anderson, Arthur Arbibb, Commander Argueff of the Russian Navy, Leon Baer, Maxey Blumenthal, Henry N. Bronner, William Bamberger, J. Halsey Biggs, Commander M. Beckleshoff of the Russian Navy, George B. Bauerdorff, William E. Cuff, Thomas J. Canty, Charles P. Cadley, J. J. Canty, Jr., E. A. Cardozo, A. E. de Cardova, M. de Mercado, Dr. J. M. de Birmingham, C. Dehyher, N. I. Evans, Alexander J. Foley, William N. Fleischman, Dr. W. G. Fralick, Joseph D. Frankel, Lew Fields, A. J. Gertenback, George Goodchild, Joel Jacobs, Leonard Joseph, Leo J. Lehman, John McKeon, Dr. F. Meyers, Thomas McGee, John O. O'Brien, A. M. Polack, J. Riordan, James Rowe, August Silz, J. O. Stack, Gay L. Schiffer, Charles Shongood, J. H. Stack, and Henry Tobin."

Mr. Bauchle described how Police Captain Duggan had "chased the Partridges out of the Ritz-Carlton by informing the management of their gambling." He told how, at a dinner last January, known as the Russian dinner, something over $700 had been spent for food and wine. If the kitty had more money in it than necessary for the dinner, said Mr. Bauchle, the excess was saved, to be applied to the next dinner.

The inquiry will be continued today. Mr. Smith said last night that an important arrest would be made today in connection with the investigation of the Partridges.

Life is too Hard!

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WORLD'S WORK STOPS RATHOM DISCLOSURES

Series of Articles Dealing with German Spy Work in This Country Suddenly Ended.

French Strother, associate editor of the World's Work, which is published by Doubleday, Page & Co., informed THE TIMES last night that a series of articles dealing with German spy work in the United States, by John R. Rathom, editor of The Providence Journal, had been discontinued. The first of the series appeared in the February issue of the magazine. Mr. Strother said that the following statement would appear in the March issue of World's Work, which would be published in a few days:

> In accordance with the mutual agreement with The World's Work and John R. Rathom, editor of The Providence Journal, World's Work will discontinue the publication of the series of articles entitled "Germany's Plots Exposed," written by Mr. Rathom.
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> The World's Work will forthwith publish a series of articles on "Fighting German Spies," by French Strother, by courtesy of the Bureau of Investigation of the Department of Justice. The facts and documents published in these articles are verified.

Mr. Strother was asked by The Times last night to elaborate on the statement he issued, but he refused to do so.

"That statement," he said, "contains absolutely all that the magazine has to say on the subject."

He refused to say whether or not he had been in conference with Attorney General Gregory over Mr. Rathom's articles and refused to affirm or deny that such was the case.

At the head of Mr. Rathom's first article, entitled "German Plots Exposed," appeared a note by the editor in which it was said:

"The story Mr. Rathom has to tell has all the action and adventure of romance. But it has besides a message for the most serious contemplation of the American people—the message that this machinery of internal disruption is still in operation; that the agents of the Kaiser still ply their trade of death in the United States; that this deadly peril is still in our midst. It is the patriotic desire to warn the people of the nation of this continuing peril that has prompted Mr. Rathom to tell this story of experiences in unmasking the German plots."

BID SCHWAB JOIN I.W.W. AND SEND HIM GIFTS

Leaders Express Approval of His Views and Mail Overalls and Mittens to Him.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—Union made overalls and canvas mittens, together with a membership application card for the I. W. W. have been sent to Charles M. Schwab, President of the Bethlehem Steel Company, by the I. W. W. organization.

A letter was sent to him in which it was stated the organization was in "accord with his views as expressed at a recent dinner in New York." Incidentally Mr. Schwab is asked to contribute "about a hundred thousand dollars" for the defense of indicted members of the organization.

L. S. Chumley, a member of the Defense Committee, who admitted he wrote the letter, said he had not received a reply from Mr. Schwab.

"I want to make it clear that Mr. Schwab cannot join our organization yet," Mr. Chumley said today. "Although we appreciate his apparent understanding of the new social order, he must divest himself of the shares of the Bethlehem Steel Company's stock before he can become a full-fledged member."

"Mr. Schwab has found his soul—has seen a new light," William D. Haywood said. "He realizes that all his wealth comes from the working class. In any form of organized society a man like Mr. Schwab would be a useful man. Let us hope that the social change may come while he still lives in order that he may benefit by his views in a practical way."

HELD IN $30,000 GEM CASE.

Negro Accused of Stealing Mrs. W. E. D. Stokes's Jewels.

Henry Williams, a negro dining car waiter, was held in $5,000 bail by Magistrate Brough in West Side Court yesterday, charged with the larceny of $33,000 worth of jewelry from Mrs. Helen Ellwood Stokes, with of W. E. D. Stokes, proprietor of the Ansonia Hotel.

Mrs. Stokes after arriving in New York with her two children from a visit to her mother in Denver, Colo., on Oct. 31, discovered that a case containing the jewelry was missing from the drawing room apartment she had occupied on the train. The police recovered some pieces of the jewelry alleged to have been pawned by Williams, which, it was stated, Mrs. Stokes identified as her property. Among these pieces were two diamond bracelets, each set with 44 diamonds, and two rings, one set with a ruby and two diamonds and the other with a moss agate.

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